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THE MONROE MONOCLE

1947

Monroe Students Uphold The Spirit of The HORNET

FOREWORD

The figure of the Hornet is very familiar at Monroe. To many students it may mean only the name of the athletic teams, but the 1947 Monocle staff feels that it means even more. We feel that the Hornet signifies all the good things we have at Monroe—good attendance, high scholarship, good sportsmanship, and a fine spirit throughout the school. For that reason, we have selected the Hornet as the figure to represent our theme throughout the book. May the student body at Monroe throughout the years continue to "Uphold the spirit of the Hornet."

MISS DOROTHY YEAGER

DEDICATION

Everyday, throughout the week, during the year—at any time we see evidence of the work of Miss Dorothy Yeager, our most capable teacher of commercial subjects.

Her knowledge of commercial subjects and outstanding ability as advisor of the Monroe Monocle staff, her understanding of human nature, cheerfulness, and willingness to do her part has gained her much appreciation from all the students.

In recognition of her splendid spirit of cooperation to the faculty and the student body, we take great pleasure in dedicating this book to her.

ADMINISTRATION

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DR. M. A. BOYD

MR. EVERETT SWITZER

MR. ROBERT MATSON

As our country has its President, Russia its Prime Minister, so Monroe has its governing body known as the Lemon Township Board of Education.

It is the duty of this board to represent the people in trying to make our school life more enjoyable, in allowing us to better our education in all fields, in aiding us to prepare for our chosen vocations, and to help us to face the world by encouraging loyalty, sportsmanship, honesty, obedience to the law, health, kindness, punctuality, dependability, courtesy and self-control to be taught.

The board is composed of Mr. Claude D. Barker, President; Mr. Ralph Helsinger, Vice President; Dr. M. A. Boyd; Mr. Robert Matson; and Mr. Everett Switzer.

SUPERINTENDENT

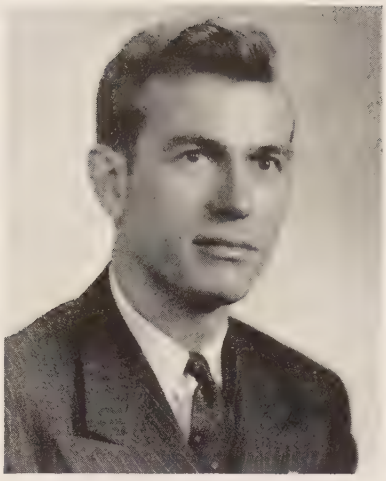
MR. C. W. YOUNG

Assuming new duties this year as Superintendent of Lemon Township Schools, Mr. Young has continued his record of service to the schools. Although his greater responsibilities make it necessary for him to devote some of his talents to the other schools in this area he stills finds moments which he can devote to Monroe. We feel that his guidance in the past is one of the leading factors in making this school a fine one, and we are glad that we shall be assured of the same valuable advice in the future.

MISS STELLA PAUL

Miss Stella Paul very capably fills the position of secretary to the Superintendent of Lemon Township Schools. Every day you'll find her busily engaged in her various tasks. She plays an important part in keeping the organization of the schools running smoothly.

PRINCIPAL



MR. C. H. BENNER, *Principal*

After being discharged from the Navy, Mr. Benner has returned to Monroe to serve as our school principal.

In this, his first year as principal, he has successfully carried out the policies which have succeeded in the past, and his ingenuity in adding new policies has helped to make this a pleasant and profitable year for all who have come in contact with him.

Mr. Benner and Mr. Moore consult on plans for the day.

FACULTY

MRS. ELOISE BRATE—The fine Christmas pageant, the spring music festival, and the lovely May Day eclebration are just a few of the many musical programs Mrs. Brate is responsible for producing.

Her understanding of boys and girls in her music classes has made them appreciate music more fully. Mrs. Brate is also the Dean of Girls and is in charge of the rest room monitors and elementary music classes.

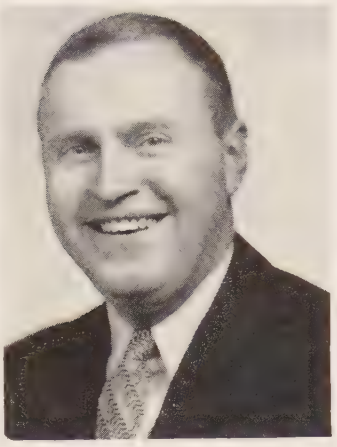
MISS RUTH BUSSEER—Many of Monroe's fine plays can be credited to the diligent work of Miss Busseer. She is also the advisor of The Monroe Doctrine, the anthology sponsored by the junior class; is advisor of the dramatics class; and teaches the juniors everything they should know about English.

MR. VIRGIL DENT—A new name on Monroe's teaching staff this year is that of Mr. Dent. He teaches mathematics, and helps Miss Yeager in the commercial field by teaching typing and beginning bookkeeping.

MR. L. D. FRESHCORN—The main job of Mr. Freshcorn is to instruct the Senior class in American Problems, and a very good job he does. In addition to this he also handles a class in world geography, and instructs the seventh and eighth grade in English and literature.

MRS. RUTH GUERNSEY—During the first semester of this year, Mrs. Guernsey was the advisor of the journalism class and Monroe's school paper, The Monroe Mercury. In addition to her work in this field, Mrs. Guernsey teaches Latin and Spanish.

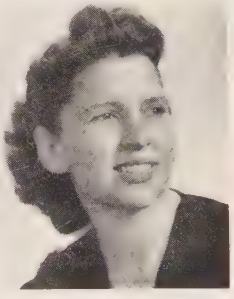
MRS. MARGARET HAMILTON—Mrs. Hamilton, who is a whiz at figures, teaches general mathematics, senior mathematics, algebra and geometry.



MR. RAYMOND A. MOORE
Assistant Principal

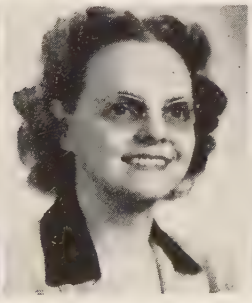
New to the position of assistant principal is Mr. Moore. He has done an excellent job in encouraging the students to maintain Monroe standards in sportsmanship and attendance.

In addition to this, Mr. Moore is responsible for the intramural program this year. The enthusiasm with which the games were accepted by the students proves that he has done his utmost to make school life interesting, entertaining, and profitable.

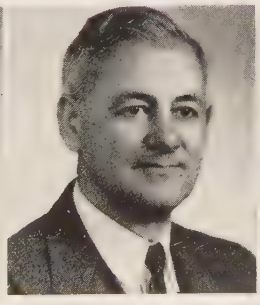


Mrs. Margaret Hamilton

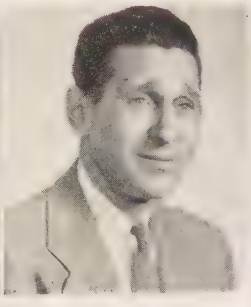
Mrs. Eloise D. Brate



Miss Ruth M. Busseer



Mr. Virgil Dent



Mr. L. D. Freshcorn

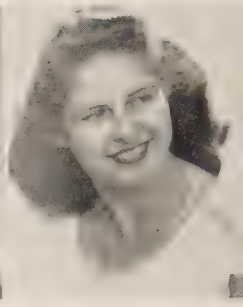
Mrs. Ruth Guernsey

Miss Margaret Hemsley

Miss Ilene Hinds

Miss Virginia Hoffman

Mr. Darwin Kimble



Miss Charlotte Leighto

Mr. Edwin Hampshire

MR. EDWIN HAMPSHIRE—Monroe's future carpenters are guided under the skillful hand of our industrial arts teacher, Mr. Hampshire. Under his direction, the boys have completed several projects of their own, and have performed many invaluable tasks around the school.

MISS MARGARET HEMSLEY—Speech, speech, is the cry that you hear every day in Miss Hemsley's speech class. Her ability in helping students overcome their fears of speaking before an audience is helpful to the students in gaining poise and effectve speech. Miss Hemsley also teaches seventh and eighth grade mathematics and science.

MISS ILENE HINDS—Helping out in the office this year is Miss Hinds who was, last year, a senior at Monroe.

MISS VIRGINIA HOFFMAN—Who is responsible for the very beautiful paintings and decorations seen around the school? Why, Miss Hoffman, our art teacher, of course. Under her guidance, the students interested in this course have learned to appreciate the real value of art.

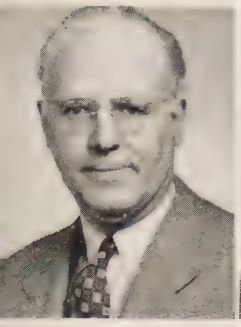
MR. DARWIN KIMBLE—For those interested in the field of science, Mr. Kimble teaches all. He instructs these students in general science, physics, and chemistry. Mr. Kimble is also the advisor of home room 304, whose excellent attendance record has made it an outstanding home room.

MISS CHARLOTTE LEIGHTON—If you hear any moans or groans coming from the gym on Monday or Wednesday, don't worry. It's just Miss Leighton giving her girls a workout—in the form of exercises. Miss Leighton alo teaches the girls' health classes, and is responsible for our excellent junior and senior high cheerleaders.

MR. FRANK LUDEWIG—The interesting course of engineering drawing is handled by Mr. Ludewig. Under his supervision, the students interested in this type of drawing have produced many fine masterpieces.

MISS MARIE MORGAN—The person responsible for the good behavior and manners of Monroe students is Miss Morgan, who teaches guidance. She also handles a class in sociology, and is in charge of the cafeteria at noon.

MR. DOUGLAS PALMER—Educating the entire junior class in facts of long ago, is the responsibility of the American history teacher, Mr. Palmer. Besides his interesting classes in history, he was director of this year's junior class play, which turned out to be a huge success.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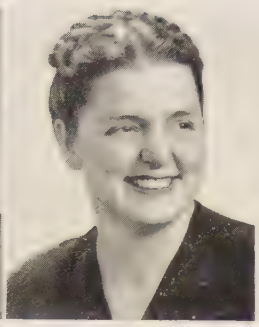
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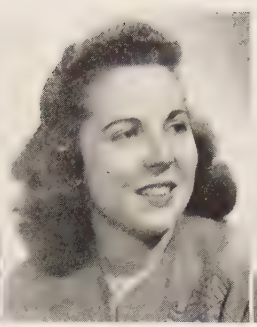
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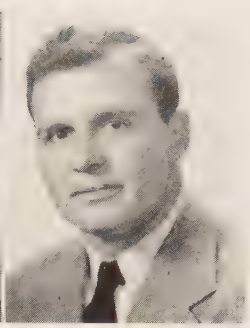

Mr. Warren Scholler

MISS ELEANOR PENCE—Being new at Monroe this year, Miss Pence teaches ninth and twelfth grade English. She is also advisor of the library club, and her expert knowledge in this field has improved the club in many ways.

MR. WARREN SCHOLLER—Our new junior high basketball coach this year is Mr. Scholler, who is skillfully building our junior high players into Monroe's star players of tomorrow. During class time, Mr. Scholler handles the boys' gym and health classes.

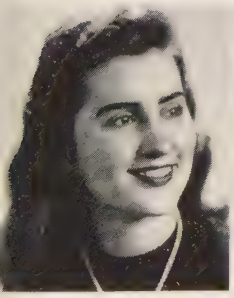
MISS VIOLET SIMPSON—Another last year's graduate, who is helping in the office this year is Miss Simpson.

MISS HARRIET STEDDOM—A new teacher in the musical department of Monroe this year is Miss Steddom. The superb performances of our band and orchestra are a result of her fine direction.

MISS MARGARET WEED—Beginning the second semester, Miss Weed assumed responsibilities as advisor of our school paper, The Monroe Mercury, which during the first semester was under the direction of Mrs. Guernsey. Miss Weed also teaches sophomore English and a new subject at Monroe this year, French.

MR. JOHN WOOLUMS—Three cheers for our very capable coach, Mr. Woolums. He has done a fine job and really deserves a lot of credit. In addition to his duties as coach, Mr. Woolums teaches biology and senior science.

MISS DOROTHY YEAGER—One of the busiest teachers around Monroe is Miss Yeager. Every minute of every day, you'll find her busily occupied in one of her numerous tasks, and because of her patience and understanding she is a favorite among the students. Besides her duties as advisor of the Monocle, she teaches typing and shorthand I and II, bookkeeping and secretarial practice.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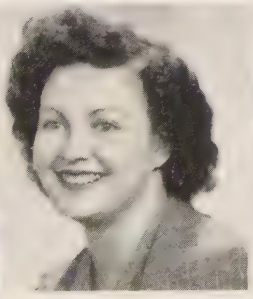
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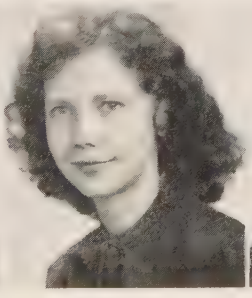
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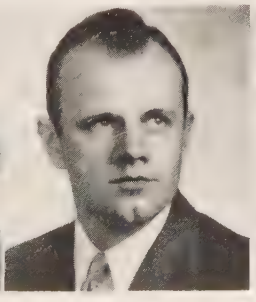
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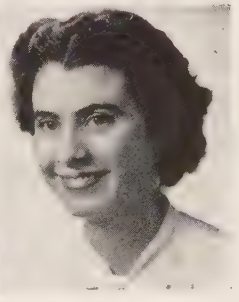
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Miss Amelia Ihle

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Mrs. Jean Neu

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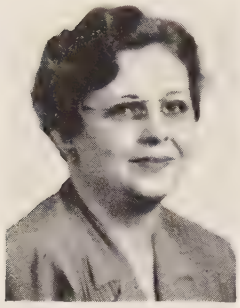


Mrs. Mabelle Crist

MRS. MABELLE CRIST—At every sporting event, you'll see Mrs. Crist. During school hours, she teaches the fourth grade.

MRS. MARJORIE DENT—The tiniest of Monroe scholars begin their school life under the guiding hand of Mrs. Dent. She is well fitted to this position because of her patience and understandng of these smaller boys and girls.

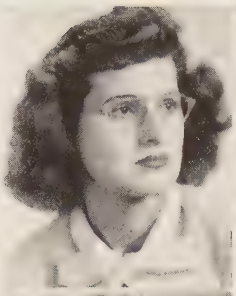
MISS AMELIA IHLE—Readin', writin', and 'rithmetic are taught to the third graders by Miss Ihle. She strives in every way possible to make her classes interesting and enjoyable for her students.

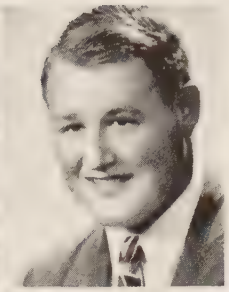
MISS MARY KAUTZ—The main duty of Miss Kautz, the sixth grade teacher, is to prepare her students for their entry into junior high school. With this goal in mind, Miss Kautz strengthens their knowledge in preparation for their new responsibilities.

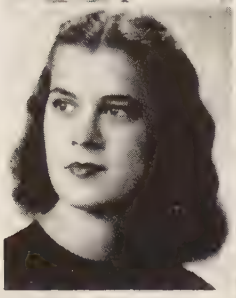
MRS. JEAN NEU—Mrs. Neu has the responsibility of teaching the second grade. She takes special interest in each of her students, and makes their school work enjoyable in every way possible.

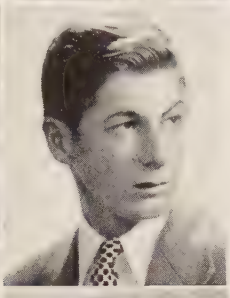
MRS. ETHEL SIMMONS—Encouraging her fifth graders to write more creative work, Mrs. Simmons supervised a project in which her students wrote poems, which were printed in a miniature Monroe Doctrine. This is only one of the many ways in which Mrs. Simmons makes school life enjoyable for her students.

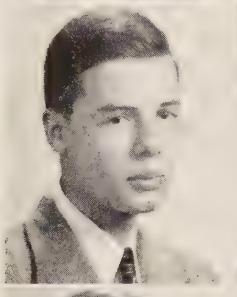
CLASSES

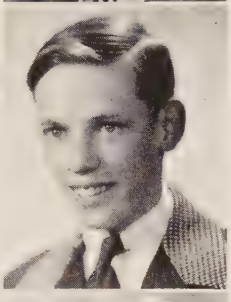


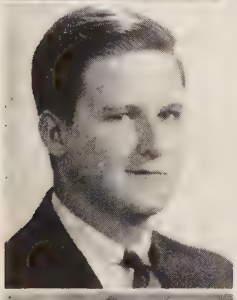


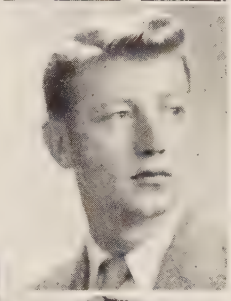


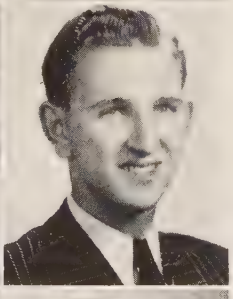


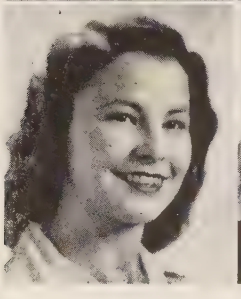


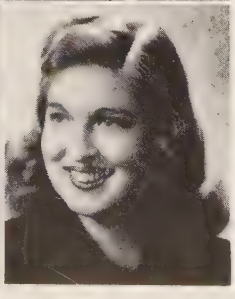












PHYLLIS ADAMS
Band 1, 2, 4
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Intramurals 2, 3
Gym Assistant 4

JIM ANDERSON
Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4
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Intramurals 2, 3, 4

HELEN ANTHONY
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G.A.A. 3
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Librarian 1

DICK ASHTON
Picture Machine Operator 2, 3
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GLENN BLACKMORE
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Dramatics Club 3
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Rest Room Monitor 3
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Junior Class Play 4

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MARILEE COPE
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KATHLEEN CORNWELL
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DONNA DAZEY
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DAVID CLARK
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ROBERT DE FRATES
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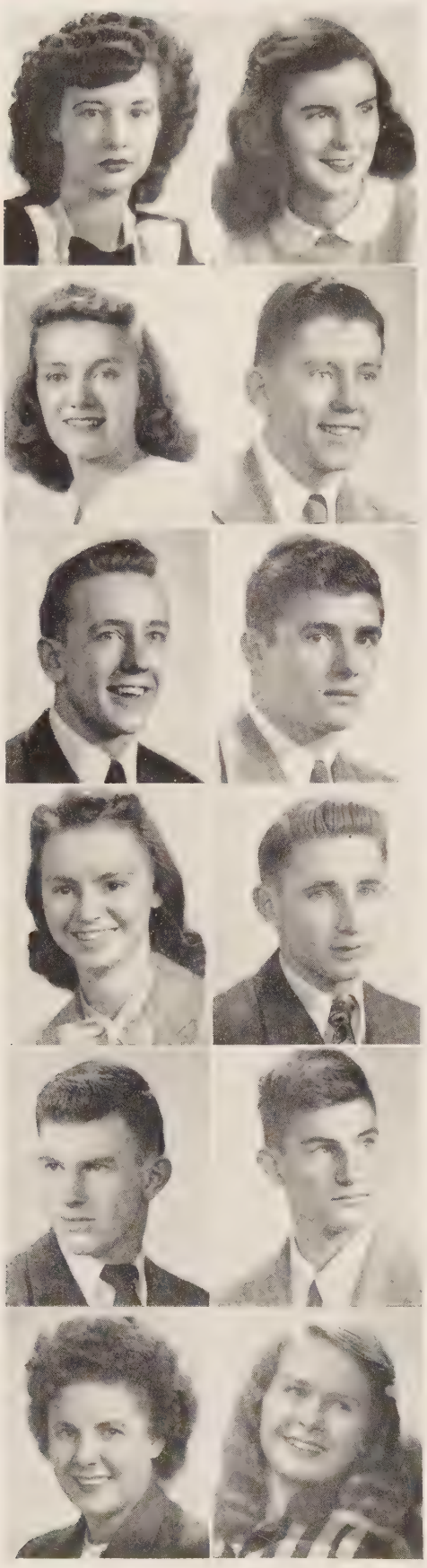

IRENE DENNIS
Intramurals 3, 4
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MARIE DISHON
Intramurals 2, 3, 4
Librarian 4
Monocle 4
Gym Assistant 3

HODGE DRAKE
Jr. Class Play 4
Senior Class Play 2, 3
Intramurals 2, 3, 4
Boys' Glee Club 2, 3, 4
Scholarship 2
Mercury 3
National Honor Society 3, 4
All School Play 3
F. T. A. 4
Service 3, 4

ANNA FIELDS
Intramurals 2

JERRY FRY
Football 2, 3
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
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Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3
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Traveling Program 3, 4
All School Contest 3
Popular Orchestra 1, 2, 3
Little Band 2, 3

MARJORIE GINGERICH
Art Club 2
Mixed Chorus 3
Monroe Doctrine 3

RUTH DERROUGH
Monocle 4
Mixed Chorus 4
Librarian
Intramurals
G. A. A. 4

GORDON DOTY
Christmas Program 2, 3, 4
Track 1, 2, 3, 4
Football 2
Football Mgr. 3
Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4
Boys' Glee Club 3, 4
Traveling Program 3
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Senior Class Play 1, 3
Scholarship 1
Radio Program 3, 4

GLEN DUNAWAY
Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4
Football 2, 3, 4

EUGENE FISHER
Band 2, 3, 4
Orchestra 2, 3, 4
Little Band 2, 3, 4
Dramatics Club 3
Intramurals 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 4
All School Contest 3
Monocle 4
Popular Orchestra 2, 3
Traveling Program 3
Messenger 2, 3, 4
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Broadcast 3, 4

DALE GEYER
Boys' Glee Club 2, 4
Mixed Chorus 2
Band 1, 2
Orchestra 1
Football 2, 3, 4
Basketball Mgr. 3
Baseball 3, 4
Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4
All School Contest 4

PHYLLIS GINGERICH
Intramurals 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 3
Glee Club 2
Christmas Play 4

JEANNE GRAFT
Mixed Chorus 2, 4
Jr. Class Play 3
Monocle 4
Glee Club 3
Intramurals 2, 3, 4
Christmas Program 2, 3, 4
G. A. A. 4

MARTHA GREEN
Monocle 4
Dramatics Club 3
All-School Contest 2, 3, 4
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Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4
Christmas Program 1, 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Ensemble 2

MARY ELLEN GRIFFITH
Cheerleader 1, 2
Hall Monitor 1
Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4
Monocle 4
Mixed Chorus 3, 4
Christmas Program 2, 3, 4
Dramatics Club 3
Triple Trio 2, 3, 4
Junior Class Play 3
Class Officer 1
Library 4
Usher 2, 3
Traveling Program 2
All-Sshool Contest 3

CLAUDE HAMMONDS
Jr. Class Play 3
Scholarship 2
Public Speaking 3
Buckeye Boys' State 3
Dramatics Club 3
Christmas Program 4
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Football 2, 3, 4
Monocle 4
Baseball 2, 3
Boys' Glee Club 4
National Honor Society 4
Student Council 3
Class Officer 3, 4
Sr. Class Play 3

CORBIT HARRISON
Scholarship 1, 2, 3, 4
SOS Science Club 3, 4
Jr. Honor Student 3
Basketball Manager 2
Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4
Picture Machine Operator 4

ALICE HINDS
Monocle 4
Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4
Gym Assistant 3
Monroe Doctrine 3
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Orchestra 1, 2, 3
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Jr. Class Play 3
Drum Majorette 3, 4
G. A. A. 3
Class Officer 1
Mixed Chorus 4
Service 4

ROBERT GRAFT
Intramurals 2, 3, 4

ANDY GREER
Assistant Coach 4

JOHN GUERNSEY
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Orchestra 4
S. O. S. Science Club 2, 3, 4
Scholarship 1, 2, 3, 4
Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4
Dramatics Club 3
Public Speaking 1, 2

NORMA HANSER
Glee Club
Mixed Chorus 2, 3

CONRAD HEINKEL
Mixed Chorus 4
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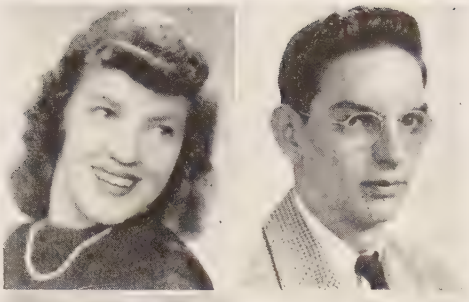
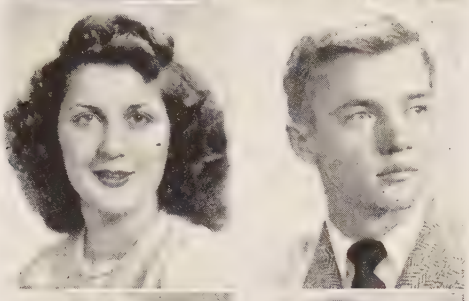
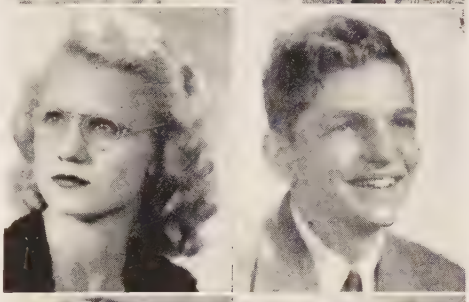

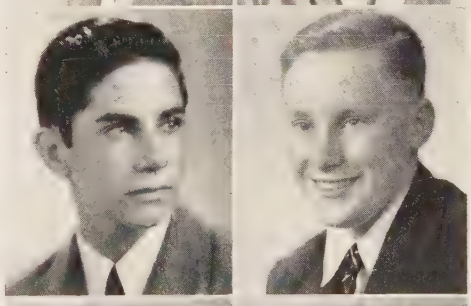
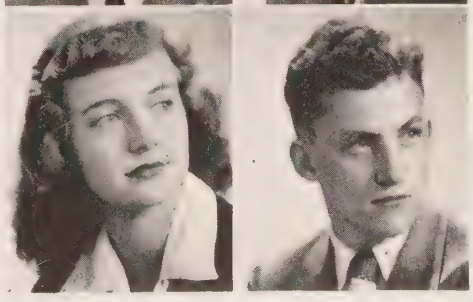

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- Monocle 4
- Jr. Class Play 4
- Children Theatre Play 4
- Intramurals 7, 2, 3, 4
- Librarian 1, 3
- Monitor 2
- G. A. A. 4
- Mixed Chorus 1, 3, 4
- Christmas Program

BETTY IMHOFF
- Christmas Program 1, 2, 3, 4
- Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4
- Glee Club 1, 4
- Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
- Librarian 1, 3
- Monitor 2
- Monocle 4
- Jr. Class Play 4

DOUGLAS JONES
- Football 2, 3, 4
- Basketball 1, 2
- Track 1, 3
- Glee Club 4
- Radio Program 4
- Sr. Class Play 1
- All School Play 2
- Citizenship 3
- Minstrel 1
- Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4
- Christmas Program 3, 4
- Scholarship 2, 3, 4
- Class Officer 1, 2, 3
- Mixed Chorus 4

DORIS KENNEL
- Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4
- Hall Monitor 3, 4
- Monocle 4
- Mercury 3
- Mixed Chorus 1
- Spelling Contest 3

RALPH KINSER
- Traveling Program 3
- Intramurals 2, 3, 4
- Band 2, 4
- Baseball 3
- Popular Orchestra 3

RAY LANSAW

ALBERT HOUNSHELL
- Mercury 4
- Monocles 4
- Football Manager 3, 4
- Basketball Manager 2, 3, 4
- Baseball Manager 2
- Track Manager 2, 3
- Scholarship 1, 2, 3, 4
- Boys' Glee Club 4
- Citizenship 1, 2
- Spelling Contest 2, 3
- Mixed Chorus 4
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- Student Council 3, 4
- S. O. O. Science Club 3, 4
- National Honor Society 3, 4
- Art Club 2

JIM JOHNSON
- Basketball 2, 3, 4
- Track 3, 4
- Baseball 2, 3, 4
- Football 4
- Boys' Glee Club 4
- All School Contest 4
- Traveling Program 4

TOM JONES
- National Honor Society 4
- Football 2, 3
- Class Officer 2
- Monocle 4
- Basketball 2, 3
- Senior Class Play 2
- Student Council 4
- Intramurals 3, 4
- F. T. A. 4

AGNES KING
- Intramurals 2, 3, 4
- National Honor Society 4
- Student Council 2
- Mercury 2, 3, 4
- Junior Play 3
- Monroe Doctrine 3
- Usher 2, 3
- Art Club 2
- F. T. A. 4
- Cheerleader 3, 4
- Dramatics Club 3
- Christmas Program 3, 4

BETTY KOHR
- Intramurals 2, 3, 4
- Art Club 3

RUBY LANSAW
- Dramatics Class Play 4
- Monroe Doctrine 3
- Monocle 4
- Glee Club 3
- Mixed Chorus 2, 3
- Intramurals 2, 3, 4
- G. A. A. 4
- Christmas Program 2, 3
- Class Officer 2

LOIS LAWSON
Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4
Intramurals 2

PATSY LEBER
Scholarship 3
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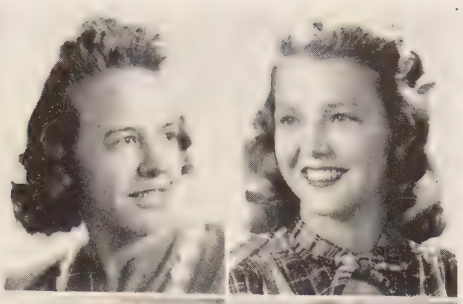

HERBERT LUCAS
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JOHN MAGIE
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
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S. O. S. Club 2, 3, 4
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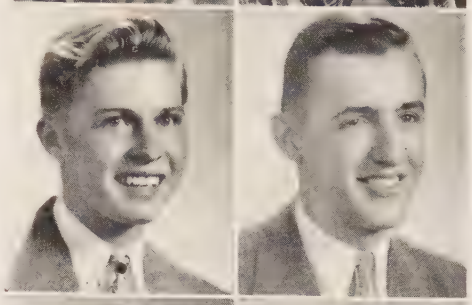

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All School Play Staff 4
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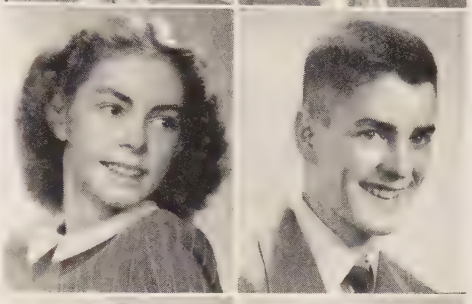

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Track 1
Football Manager 3
Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4

CAROL McCLUNG
Library 1, 2
Christmas Program 3
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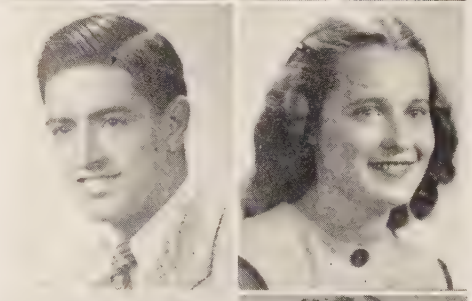

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EVERETT MILLER
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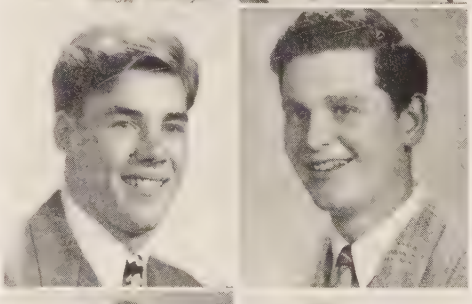

TERRY MOSS
Intramurals 7, 2, 3, 4
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Band 1, 2, 3 4
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Small Band 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 1
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VIRGINIA NIEDERAUER
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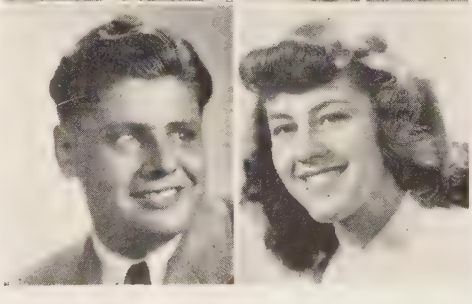

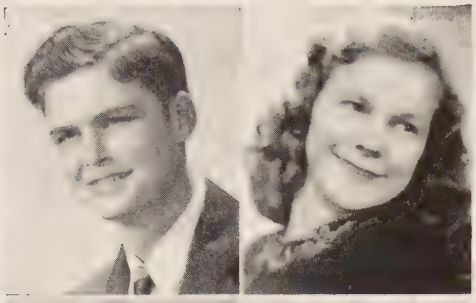

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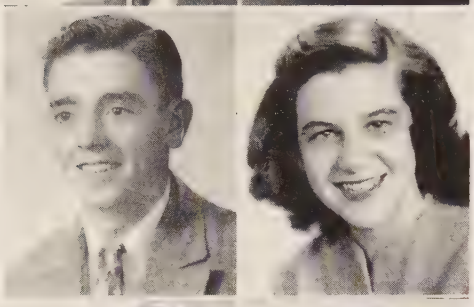

CHARLES PROPPS
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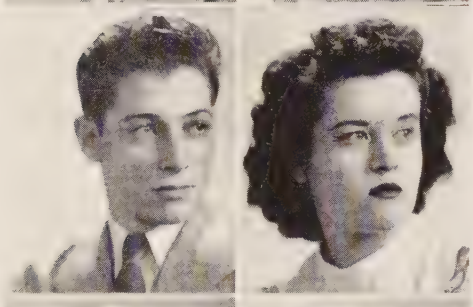

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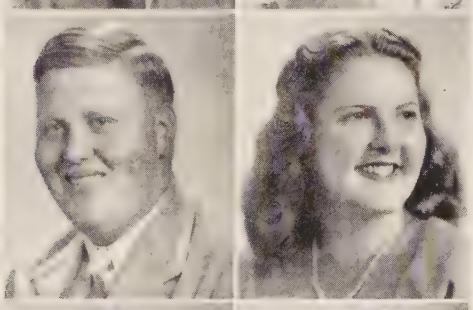

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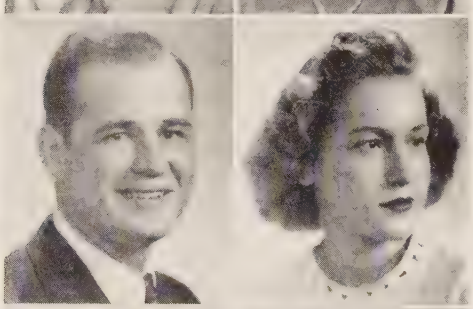
Service 1, 2



DONALD RUSCHE
Football 2
Intramurals 2, 4

DORIS SPARKS

JEWEL PELFREY
Orchestra 2, 3, 4
Intramurals 2, 3, 4
Jr. Play Staff 4
G. A. A. 4

DOROTHY RAMSEYER
Band 1, 2, 3
Majorette 4
Triple Trio 3, 4
Jr. Class Play 3
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Mixed Chorus 1, 3, 4
Service 2
Christmas Program 1, 2, 3, 4
Broadcast 3, 4
Traveling Program 3
Intramurals 3

PAT ROOSELOT
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Scholarship 3
F. T. A. 4
National Honor Society 4
Triple Trio 1, 2, 3, 4
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Monocle 4
Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3
Christmas Program 1, 2, 3, 4
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Intramurals 1, 2, 3
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All School Contest 1, 2, 3
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Service 3, 4
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DORIS ROTHWELL
Band 1, 2, 3
Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4
Majorette 3, 4
Dramatics Club 3
S. O. S. Science Club 3, 4
F. T. A. 4
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National Honor Society 3, 4
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Scholarship 1
Popular Orchestra 3
Traveling Program 3
Public Speaking 3
Broadcast 3
Service 1, 4
Citizenship 1

MARY RUSCHE
Intramurals 2, 3, 4
Library 4
Monocle 4

EWING TAULBEE
Basketball 2, 3
Intramurals 2, 3, 4
Football 2, 3
Class Officer 4

NADINE TAULBEE
Christmas Program 2
Mixed Chorus 2
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ESTHER TAYLOR
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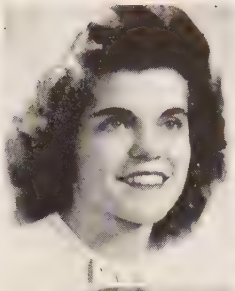

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PAT THOMPSON
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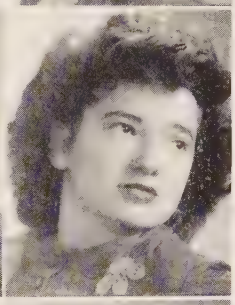

DONALD WAGNER

LAVERNE WEST
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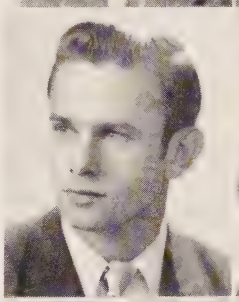
Mixed Chorus 3
Student Council 4
Christmas Program 3



JEAN WHITAKER
Traveling Program 3, 4
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Glee Club 2
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CHESTER WILLIAMS
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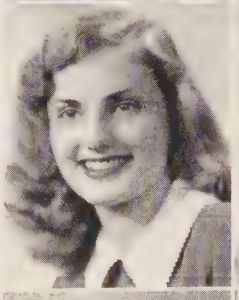

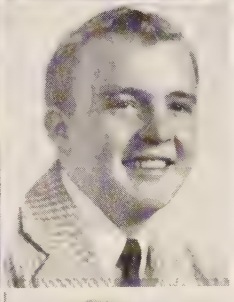

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Mercury 4
Band 2
Orchestra 2, 3 4
Student Council 2, 3
Service 2, 3, 4
Glee Club 2
Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4
Cheerleader 3, 4
Intramurals 2, 3, 4
Monocle 4
F. T. A. 4
Library 2
G. A. A. 3, 4
Christmas Program 3, 4

ENGENE WILSON
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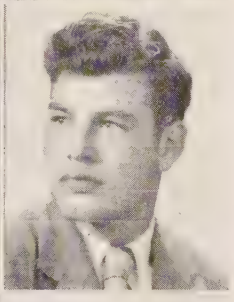

CECIL WOODDELL
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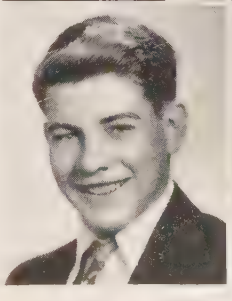

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CLAUDE HAMMONDS, *President*
EWING TAULBEE, *Vice-president*
BILL BARNES, *Treasurer*
ANDY GREER, *Sergeant-at-arms*

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Left to right—Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. Guernsey, Hodge Drake, Patsy Leber, Tom Jones, Pat Rooselot, Claude Hammonds, Carol McClung, Albert Hounshell, Phyllis Hale, David Clark, Agnes King, George Baird, Mr. Dent, Miss Morgan and Doris Rothwell (not pictured)

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VETERANS

First row, left to right—Lloyd Downs, Bill Dyer, Andy Greer, Chester Williams, Ewing Taulbee, Bill Barnes, Donald Wagner.

Second row—Ernest Patton, Donald Rusche, Sam Warmouth, George Hincks, Bob Roosa, Claude Sibert, Raymond Black, Kenneth Carter, and Glen Dunaway.

In September when the old school bell tolled in the eager to learn, there was found among the ardent students some of Uncle Sam's defenders. Entering under their own G. I. Bill of Rights, they wished to obtain a high school diploma which is a necessity for their goals for the future.

These veterans, former students, have had many interesting experiences that add a spicy touch to all classroom discussions.

They, too, have participated in activities in all fields. Some have received honors at Oxford for their musical ability. Sports is one of their favorite pastimes, and we mean favorite, in basketball football, track, baseball, intramurals.

Some also have been very outstanding in their subjects. We know they are right in there doing the best they can and we wish them all the luck possible.

The return of these former students of Monroe has not only helped them to look into the future but it has also helped the student body of Monroe

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Seventh row—Shirley Townsend, Dorothy Tuggle, Oleta VanCleve, Gracie Van Winkle, Harry Vest, Esther Walters, Barbara Warmoth, Stanley West, Carla Sue White, Bill Whitesell.

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Third row—Homer Fultz, Freddie Carroll, Billy Snelling, Wayne Hayes, Donald Johnson, Paul Mokry, Lowell Strayer, Bobby Downs, Charles Short, Henry Propps, Jack Eck, J. B. Dyer.

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Third row—Ronnie Jackson, Robert Derrough, Dick Dieterly, David Forner, John Derrough, Linville Johnson, Russell Purcell, Andrey Jackson, Joe Powell, Douglas Combs, Michael Boyle, Robert Craig

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First row, left to right—Jane Garver, Delores Roberson, Margaret Sergent, Oma Farler, Janet Werner, Marjorie Campbell, Marjorie Wilkinson, Carol Wilkinson, Joann Korn, Miss Kautz.
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Third row—Donald Hill, Billy Blair, Dick Termuhlen, Albert Heizer, Junior Depew, Harold Draut, Paul Johnson, Buddy Duff, Clifford Howard.

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First row, left to right—Mrs. Crist, Mona Howell, Donna Harmon, Ruby Malott, Eleanor Barker, Beth Dieterly, Mary Sue Boyle, Mary Lee Farland, Joyce Parsons.
Second row—Valerie White, Joyce Dennis, Shirley Blair, Yvonne Kendrick, Blanche Powell, Mary Lou Baird, Stella Hill, Judy Beatty.
Third row—Louis Thompson, Dale Draut, Reed Musgrove, Dick Rothfuss, Russell Mikesell, Jackie McFarland, David Hampshire, David Stewart, Monty Barnes.

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Second row—Teddy Bailey, Charles Simpson, Donald Collinsworth, Rolf Kesterman, Dallas Prows, Gene Young, Bobby Garver, Jackie Hammond, Eugene Howard.
Third row—Dick Kendrick, Alfred Lee, David Howell, Edward Allen, Tommy Nelson, Jimmy Fultz, Pearl Lee, David Combs.

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Front row, left to right—Mrs. Neu, Johnny Rothfuss, Kendrea Burk, Nettie Allen, Vera Moore, Norma Bailey, Judy Zecher, Gloria Neu, Larry Harmon.

Second row—Earl Jones, Dennia Hamilton, Billy Cheesman, Stanley Fultz, Gary Dennis, Jerry Allen, Roger Carter, Sonny Post, Kenneth Manifold.

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Middle row—Lee Coppess, Jackie Barnes, Donald McKinley, Janis Moore, Becky Kabler, Mollie Farler, Marlene Essig, Patty Prows, Janet Moore, Joy Stewart, Robert Ternuhlen, David Malott, Danny McFarland.

Back row—Leo Hill, Kenneth Hamilton, Arthur Barker, Gary Dowrey, Linvil Howard, Herman Lee, Jerry Waits, Gary Davis, Ernest Walters, Norman Gingerich, Junior Fultz

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The Student Council is the organization which joins the school government with the student body. Each home room is represented by its elected member, who must carry on his tasks to the best of his ability. This year the Student Council sponsored the Turkey Trot for the enjoyment of all who attended. Along the more serious and benevolent line, it sponsored the March of Dimes for the fight against infantile paralysis.

The advisors for this group are Miss Morgan and Mrs. Hamilton.

MONROE DOCTRINE

Seated—Oleama Egelston, Janis Jones; Ann McGill, editor; Louise Nicholson, assistant editor; Wanda Sorrell, head typist; Marilyn Margerum, typist.
Standing—Sam Warmoth, business manager; Betty Wilson; Ruth Meeks; Georgia Clem; Marilyn Geyer; Phyllis Preusch, art editor; Barbara Swango; Dale Wilson; Wanda Thomas; Miss Hoffman, art advisor; Betty Brehm; Miss Busseer, editorial advisor; and Marilyn Geary

Each year the Junior Class of Monroe High School sponsors an anthology, The Monroe Doctrine. This publiction provides an opportunity for students interested in writing to display their talents for the benefit of others. All students from grades one through twelve may participate in the prose and poetry contest, and prizes are awarded for the best selections. The person responsible for this fine addition to Monroe is our English supervisor, Miss Ruth M. Busseer.

MERCURY

Seated—Al Hounshell, copyreader; Agnes King and Joan Crist, page editors; Carol McClung, editor; Mildred Lyons and Claude Hammonds, page editors. Standing—Dave Clark and Patti Howard, reporters; Patsy Leber, typist; Ruby Jenkins, circulation manager; Nancy McCoy, Gracie VanWinkle, Patti Duff, Barbara Pasley, Elaine Selby, Betty Sheley, and Virginia Mack, reporters.

Wednesday, and a dead line to meet. Typewriters pounding away to finish those late articles, headlines to figure and those numerous news articles to place on the dummy sheet, are a few of the most importane happenings taking place every other Wednesday when the *Monroe Mercury* crashes the deadline and the paper goes to press.

This year the editor, Carol McClung, and the respective page editors decided to publish a bi-weekly publication instead of the traditional tri-weekly one. This plan was only pro-tem until the staff could experiment and see if this could be successfully worked out. The staff's attempt was justified after a few issues, and thus the *Monroe Mercury* was published bi-weekly for the remainder of the year.

With the capable assistance of Mrs. Guernsey and Miss Weed for the first and second semesters respectively, the paper proved to be a great success. The paper, during the year, has featured a column for the returned veterans in school, a column introducing the seniors and, of course, to make it complete, the spot and current news in and around school.

Virginia Neiderauer, staff photographer; Pat Rooselot, art editor.

Nona Collins, Dick Ashton, Helen Anthony, Ruth Derrough, Eugene Fisher, Jeanne Graft, advertising staff; David Clark, business manager; George Baird, Dick Cornele, Wilma Jean Horne, John Magie, subscriptions staff; Claude Hammonds, Tom Jones, sports editors.

Carol McClung, Donna Dazey, Mary Ellen Griffith, Matrha Green, Nadine Taulbee, Marie Dishon, Mary Rusche, Betty Imhoff, Reby Lansaw, reporters: Mildred Martin, Al Hounshell, proof readers: Doris Kennel, reporter; Jean Whitaker, Gerry Williams, Alice Hinds, Patsy Leber, typists; Miss Yeager, advisor.

Missing from picture: Doris Rothwell, editor; Doris Carter, assistant staff photographer.

Arguments? Yes, and many of them coming from Room 203 at the beginning of the school year. Why? Because the Monocle staff is trying to solve all the weighty problems in order to make this year's annual the best ever.

As the year progresses, so does the Monocle. Mr. Tobias finally has all of the pictures taken and the staff has them mounted, ready to be sent to the engraver. The reporters are now busily engaged getting in the writeups. Finally, even these are finished and sent off to the printer. The staff heaves a sigh of relief that the annual is "in," but the real thrill comes on the day when these pieces, bound as one book, are distributed to the student body. Then only the staff members can look at a picture and say, "Remember how we had to fight to get that in the front of the book?"

G. A. A.

G: Patty Stewart, Florine Huffman, Patti Howard, Barbara Pasley, Marjorie Pence, Virginia Matson, Jean Pelfrey, Joyce Fairchild, Helen Wilkinson, Joan Crist, Phyllis Gingerich, Jo Ann Sheets, Virginia Brooks, Marie Hon, Lila Lynch.

A: Marjorie Beaver, Mary Kathryn Hale, Wanda Sorrell, Nona Collins, Carla Sue White, Esther Taylor, Charma Bell, Wilma Jean Horne, Joan Adams, Jo Anne Koontz.

A: Jeannette Woods, Esther Walters, Virginia Mack, Ruth Derrough, Jeanne Graft, Helen Anthony, Wanda Larman, Phyllis Anderson, Betty Wright, Betty Brehm.

Standing: Patsy Smallwood, Maxine McCloud, Virginia Jackson.

Another addition to Monroe is the Girl's Athletic Association, under the supervision of Miss Charlotte Leighton. This organizatcn is composed of girls from grades nine through twelve, and is entered into whole-heartedly by all. One of its purposes is to unite the students of Monroe, and make them members of a group dependent upon each other. The G. A. A. has sponsored several dances this year, and also a pep rally that played a great part in helping win one of our football games. The girls not only help others to have fun, but enjoy their membership as well. Swimming, bowling, basketball, and hikes are only a few of their enjoyments.

S. O. S. SCIENCE CLUB

The S. O. S. science club, under the guidance of Mr. Kimble, is preparing the students of today to be the scientists of tomorrow. This group, which meets twice a month, and allows each member to experiment in the field in which he is particularly interested, such as photography, chemistry, and electricity. This gives the members a chance to supplement their regular class work. The members are: George Baird, Dave Clark, Joan Crist, Myra Dudley, John Guernsey, Ralph Guernsey, Isabel Hale, Corbit Harrison, Albert Hounshell, Ruby Jenkins, JoAnne Koontz, Mildred Lyons, John Magie, Donna McGohan, Ruth Meeks, Anne Streifthau, Dale Wilson, Patty Stewart, Charles Moore, Marilyn Calsacy, Reva Moore, Vernon Craig, Marcella Gehron, Paul Termuhlen.

LIBRARY CLUB

Seated in picture: Betty Wilson, Betty Wright, Pansy Jones, (vice president), Oleama Egelston, Marilyn Geary, Marla Jean Stewart, Joyce Schoonover, Marie Dishon, Mary Hummel, Virginia Matson, Myra Dudley, Isabel Hale, Treva Hammonds (secretary), Mabel Center (president).

Standing: Lila Lynch (treasurer), Mildred Martin, Mary Rusche, Nadine Taulbee, Betty Imhoff, Imogene Center, Joan Crist, Mildred Baird, Betty Brehm, Mary Ellen Griffith, Miss Pence (advisor), Martha Green, Janet Craycraft, Mary Kathryn Hale, Julia, Lewis, Mary Arnold, Georgia Clem, Margaret Bushey, Reva Burgher.

The members of the Library club, under the direction of Miss Pence, offer help to the students in checking out reading materials, and using reference books. They also help in keeping the magazines and newspapers in order. This is one of the largest and most helpful clubs at Monroe this year.

PICTURE MACHINE OPERATORS

These boys, who know how to operate the picture machines, show pictures to the high school and the elementary each week. They are very efficient and help the teachers by showing any movies requested in the classrooms. Mr. Moore is in charge of this group made up of Joe Ihle, Virgil Jones, George Baird, John Magie, and Boyd Smith.

REST ROOM MONITORS

Betty Wilson, Carolyn Lentz, Ruth Meeks, Wanda Carroll, Joan Ballard, Gloria Bogan, Barbara Mason, Rhea Robinson, Beulah Moore, Anne Streifthau, LaVonne Sorrell, Norma Ellis, Mrs. Brate.

Under the direction of Mrs. Brate, this group of girls make themselves helpful particularly to students who do not feel well. It is their task to see that any student coming to the rest room feeling ill is made as comfortable as possible, as well as to see that the proper slip is filled out to get that student excused from class. To these girls, we say, "Thank you, for such efficient help."

HALL MONITORS

In addition to earning points toward their service award, these students make themselves useful to teachers and fellow students. Any calls or special messages which come to the offices are relayed to the proper persons by the monitors. They also patrol the halls to see that only the proper persons are coming and going.

Kneeling: Jim Collier, James Phillips, Herb Lucas, Vernon Craig, Eugene Fisher, Virgil Jones, Ralph Guernsey.

Standing: Joan Bianchi, Treva Hammond, Ruby Jenkins, Mildred Carr, Mildred Lyons, Doris Steward, Virginia Rothfuss, Pat Rosselot, Dorothy Jones, Velma Sandlin, Betty Brehm, Charlotte Wilkinson.

SERVICE CLUBS

Kneeling: Shirley Townsend, Duane Bailey, Clayton Gilley, Don Fugett, George Lane Arthur Netherly, Jim Mason.

Standing: Don Irwin, Jack Williams, Gerald Woodell, Paul Florence, Carl Hollon, Carel Cosby, Tom Jones, John Magie.

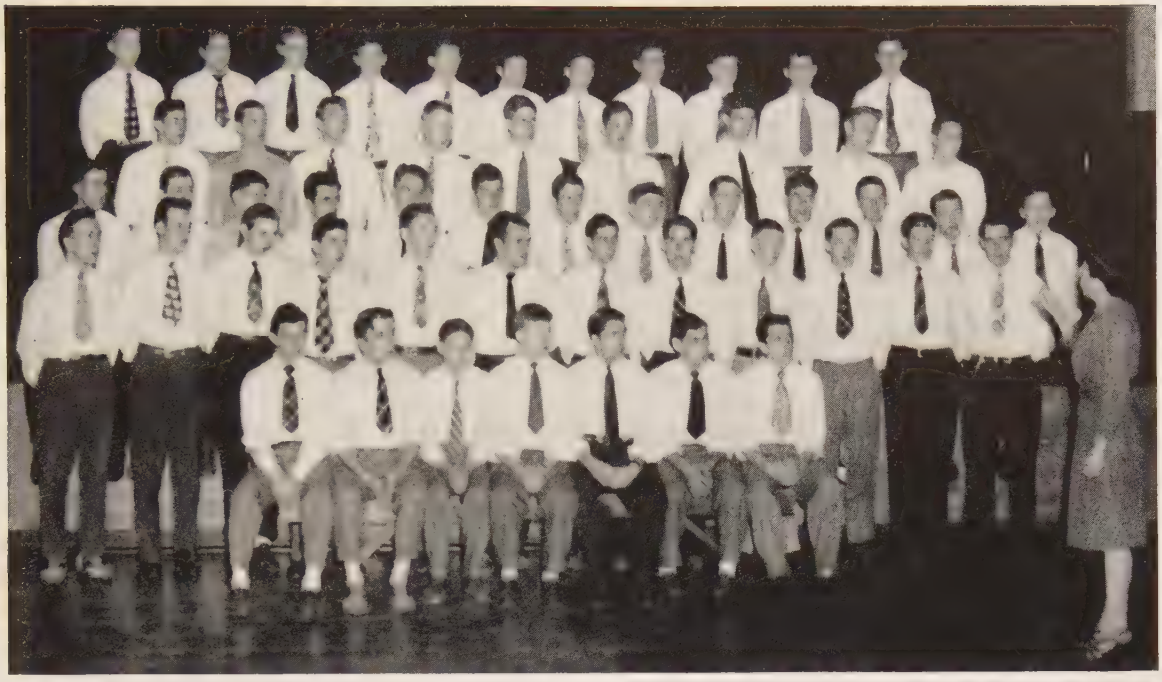
No one could imagine what a task it is to set up chairs for assembly, unless he had the job to do. Since this must be done several times a week, a group of boys volunteered to do it. Their fellow students certainly appreciate the service this squad renders.

MESSENGERS

Kneeling: Eugene Fisher, Virgil Jones, Vernon Craig, Hodge Drake.

Standing: Jo Anne Koontz, Julia Lewis, Beatrice Campbell, Doris Kennel, Lila Lynch, Janis Lones, Patsy Smallwood, Marilyn Geary.

In order to get and send the mail several times a day, a special group of messengers were selected at the beginning of the year. These people transact any other business up town which the teachers or school may have to be done during school hours.



First row: Bill Berry, Doug Jones, Claude Snelling, Jerry Fry, Jack, Williams, Tom Roger, Bob DeFrates.

Second row: Hodge Drake, Claude Sibert, Paul Termuhlen, Vernon Simpson, Glenn Blackmore, Claude Hammonds, Alfred Mason, George Lane, Jack Buffenbarger, Bob Bunnell, Cecil Woodell, Harold Tewell.

Third row: Carel Cosby, John Magie, Lee Walker, Moody Davis, Eddie Walker, Gene Wilson, Albert Hounshell, Calvin Braden, Jim Johnson, Lawrence McMonigle, Ray Berry, Danny Baker, Ralph Guernsey.

Fourth row: Ray McPherson, Heraldon Jestice, Bob Lewis, Conrad Heinkel, Bob Cox, Elwin Tomilson, Dale Geyer, Ray Black, Jim Mason.

Fifth row: Gene Fisher, Bill Barnes, Jerl Wooddell, Charles Propps, Gordon Doty, Richard Landis, Charles Moore, Wendell Hammond, Vernon Craig, Haoldr Barnes, George Baird.

The second period on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday finds Room 503 filled with boys who enjoy singing. These boys compose the Boys' Glee Club, and when we hear them sing such songs as the "Whiffenpoof Song," we know that this group really accomplishes things.

The Glee Club has sung for various assemblies at school, in addition to appearing before such groups as the Butler County Teachers.

Mrs. Eloise D. Brate is the director of this organization.

BAND

Trumpets
Glenn Blackmore
Robert Lewis
Lee Duff
Donald Wagner
Junior West
Virginia Rothfuss
Richard Ashton
Barbara Mason

E flat Alto Horn
Reva Moore

Trombones
Herbert Lucas
Pat Rooselot
Helen Wilkinson
Cecil Woodell

Baritone
Jerry Ashton

Bass
Richard Fugett

Clarinets
Phyllis Adams
Charma Bell
Ralph Kinser
James Phillips
Richard Hively
James Armitage
Virginia Matson
John Guernsey
George Baird

Cymbols
Janet Craycraft

Saxophones
Anne Streifthau
John Magie
Donald Irwin
Donald Fugett

Drums
Terry Moss
Bill Rothfuss
Harold Irving
Mildred Carr
William Bendel
Kenneth Wilkinson

Hear those familiar sounds coming from the shop during 8th period? That's right. It was the band hard at work under the direction of Miss Harriet Steddom. The biggest task for the band was marching season, which they came through with flying colors. It was led by Alice Hinds, as Drum Majorette, who was aded by Normal Barnes, Doris Rothwell, and Dorothy Ramseyer. The flags were presented by Marilyn Margerum and Virginia Matson.

After the marching season, the band settled down to some real hard work on songs for the spring concerts, which always prove a big success.

ORCHESTRA

Trumpets
Glenn Blackmore
Gene Fisher
Bobby Lewis

Trombones
Maxine Wood
Helen Wilkinson
Cecil Woodell

Clarinets
Phyllis Adams
John Guernsey

Saxaphones
Donna Dazey
Anne Streifthau

Violins
Doris Rothwell
Ann McGill
Gerry Williams
Jewel Pelfrey
Joyce Craft

Cello
Bobby Craig

Bass
Reva Moore
June Roller

Piano
Wanda Thomas

The orchestra, under the direction of Miss Harriet E. Steddom, has proved its worth this year. Playing for the junior play, Christmas program, dramatics class play, and the senior play, it has been very busy. Also having a concert in the spring and a few scheduled assemblies, its time is limited. The orchestra meets only three days a week.

TRIPLE TRIO

Mrs. Eloise D. Brate (director), Mary Ellen Griffith, Dorothy Remseyer, Pat Rooselot, June Roller, Wanda Thomas (accompanist), Jean Whitaker, Gloria Bogan, Marilyn Lovely, Donna McGohan, Marilyn Geary and Marilyn Margerum (accompanist).

The Girls' Triple Trio is one of the finest organizations at Monroe. This year they have sung on numerous occasions—at school clubs, and religious gatherings. At Christmas time the girl and Mrs. Brate prepared a program composed of Christmas Carols, entitled "There's a Song in the Air," which met with much demand and approval. In March, they proved outstanding in the annual Music Festival at Miami University; and in May their biggest event of the year, the Triple Trio Concert.

"SEVENTEEN"

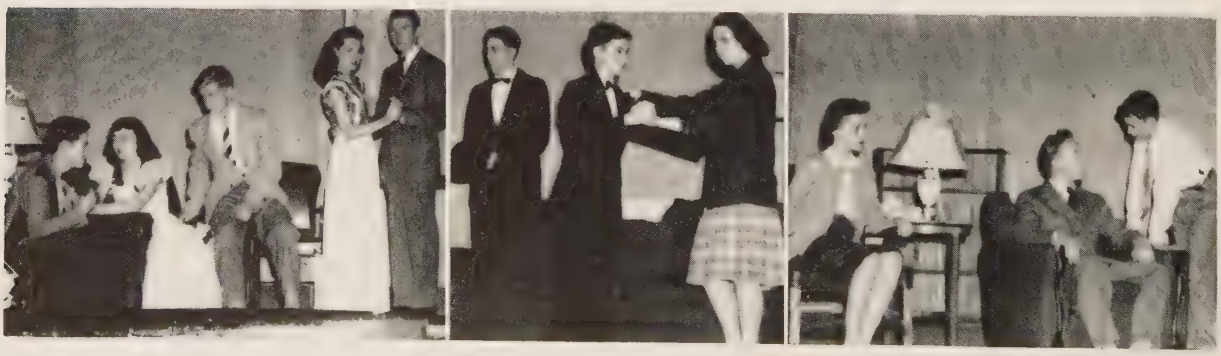
The play "Seventeen," from the story by Booth Tarkington, is based on the troubles of a seventeen-year-old boy who changes from a "woman-hater" very suddenly because of the wiles of a Lola Pratt (Jean Kirby), who has come to visit one of his local friends. The local friends, May Parcher (Joan Adams), is a nice girl; but the boys who have grown up with her are more charmed with her visitor, and Willie Baxter (played by Vernon Craig,) who is "Seventeen," finds himself faced with a lot of competition.

How he gains an advantage for a time by "borrowing" his father's dress ssuit, but, "loses face," rather suddenly when his mother (Louise Nicholson) has the suit let out to fit the father (Hodge Drake), creates sympathy for Willie and a consuming curiosity as to how he can find suitable clothes for attending Lola Pratt's farewell party.

The colored servant, Genesis (portrayed by Heraldon Jestice) provide some difficulties for the path of true love, but the greatest obstacle is his unimpressed little sister, Jane (Imogene Center), who manages to make life miserable for Willie.

Other students adding their acting abolity to make this play a success were Mr. Parcher enacted by David Clark;Wally Banks, by Bob Lewis; Johnnie Watson by Dale Wilson; Joe Bullitt played by Harold Irving; George Crooper, Mary Brooks and Ethel Boke were played by George Freeman, Mary Arnold and Joan Coyle, respectively.

The play was under the capable direction of Mr. G. Douglas Palmer, who is responsible for many of the fine plays here at Monroe.



MR. DOOLEY, JR.

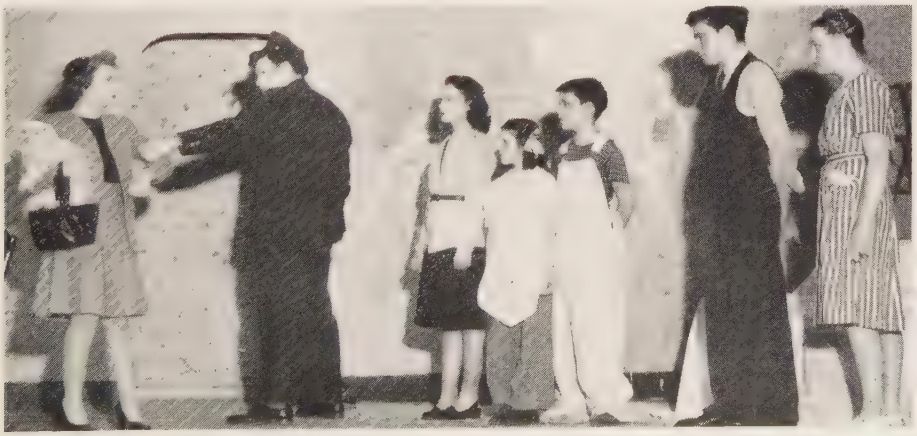
The Pied Pipers, composed mostly of members of the Dramatics class under the direction of Miss Busseer, plan to make the Children's Theatre Production an annual affair in keeping with the Children's Theatre Movement that is spreading throughout the country.

The company presented their first play, Mr. Dooley Jr., to the elementary students of neighboring schools on the afternoon of February 13. The cast presented a second production that night to the public. Since the play was exceptionally well given, the following morning the play was presented to the high school.

The play revolves around Tommy and Janie, who want a dog—any dog. They find a Pekinese dog, which they try to keep from a scheming, mean leady. The parts of Tommy and Janie were portrayed in double roles —Paul Johnson and Harold Draut as Tommy, Anne Frazier and Ann Wiley as Janie.

Nona Collins was Miss Meany; Gene Wilson the policeman; Howard Taylor, the pet shop owner; George Baird and Margaret Bushey, as Mr. and Mrs. Anders; Ruby Lansaw, the maid; and Alfred Mason, the painter. A Pekinese dog, Tinker Toy, added much interest to the play.

Due credit is given to Miss Busseer, who coached these people in making such a fine production posible.



The accepted tradition at Monroe is to present the Christmas program, "The Mystery of the Nativity." It was presented this year by the various music classes, under the direction of Mrs. Eloise D. Brate and Miss Harriet Steddom. The mystery of the Nativity was composed and written by Satis N. Coleman.

The parts of Mary and Joseph were portrayed by Ruby Jenkins and Gordon Doty. Innkeepers were Glenn Blackmore, Don Wagner, and Jack Williams. The parts of the three kings were played by Jim Johnson, Carel Cosby and Bob Lewis. The shepherds were taken from the Boys' Glee Club. The angel choir was composed of the Triple Trio plus other selected girls. The solo angel was June Roller. Accompanists were Marilyn Margerum, Charles Moore and Wanda Thomas. The reader was Heralon Jestice.

As the audience heard the beautiful pageant, a feeling of good will filled the hearts of everyone.

MAY DAY

Even though the May Day program had to be postponed due to the weather, it was carried on in its usual festive manner.

The senior girls, in their lovely formal gowns made a beautiful setting as the queen, Violet Simpson, ascended to the throne, accompanied by her two attendants, Eileen Bake and Delores Powell. There was a colorful atmosphere of flowers and music.

The queen received the honor bestowed upon her, when Donna Dazey, choice of the senior girls, placed the crown upon her head.

The ceremony continued as the traditional Maypole Dance was given by a group of the high school girls, followed by mezza-soprano, Dorothy Ramseyer singing "Will You Remember." The Monroe High School band played the traditional spring melodies.

The program ended leaving its usual feeling of spring having fully arrived.

F. T. A.

First row: Betty Wilson, Ann McGill, Georgia Clem, Barbara Swango, Tom Jones, Donna Dazey, Ruth Meeks, Agnes King.

Second row: Isable Hale, Mrs. Brate, Dick Cornele, Bill Barnes, Mildred Lyons, Pat Rooselot, Jerry Williams, Mildred Carr, Miss Kautz, Carel Cosby.

A new and different organization opened this year to students is the Future Teachers of America. The aim of this county-wide club is to enlighten those students who have a desire to know about the teaching profession. Some of the duties of the members are: substituting for absent teachers, assisting with the elementary physical education classes, and observing new system of teaching used by other schools.

Each school in the county elects its officers. Doris Rothwell was elected president of the Monroe chapter: and when she left at semesters, the vice-president, Pat Rooselot, took over. Other officers are: Secretary, Jerry Williams, Treasurer, Don'na Dozey. Advisors are Mrs. Eloise D. Brate and Miss Mary Kautz.

ATHLETICS

ATHLETIC BOARD

Mr. Scholler, Mr. Young, Mr. Woolums, Mr. Benner, Mr. Moore

Everyone at Monroe enjoys the excellent athletic contests. In order that these games may take place, the proper arrangements must be made. These are quite capably handled by the Athletic Board.

It is the duty of the Board to decide what teams we shall play, to hire the officials, and to take care of the many other details which come up.

To the members of the Athletic Board go much credit for the success of each and every game

CHEERLEADERS

Patsy Leber, Gerry Williams, Agnes King, Doris Carter, Patsy Smallwood, Donna Dazey.

The persons responsible for inciting most of the noise at athletic events and pep assemblies are those energetic girls in smart blue and gold attire who capably fill the positions of cheerleaders. We can depend on their being present at every game doing whatever they can to bring another victory to our Alma Mater, not only in the number of points but also in sportsmanship. Changing places with them for a while we give three cheers for the cheerleaders. Rah! Rah! Rah!

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Lebanon	6	0
Fairmont	6	31
Lebanon	6	0
Franklin	20	0
Osborn	7	13
Hamilton Catholic	7	13
Dunbar	26	0
Hamilton	13	33
Wilmington	14	13

SQUAD OF '47

Jack Gruenloh — Jack was the lanky right end on the team this season. He proved his success on the gridiron by his ability to turn back end runs.

Jim Johnson—Jim started his first year of football as a senior. He proved to be a valuable substitute although he was injured early in he season.

Dave Meyer—The smallest fellow on the squad this year, but toting a lot of power was Dave. The little guard has taken the position of his brother for the past two years, and is expected to be back next year.

Gene Wilson—Gene was the sturdy tackle who always seemed to be through the opponents' line before the ball was snapped. He always caused the opponents a lot of difficulty.

Glen Dunaway—Glen was another veteran returning to play this year. He proved his ability to play not only to the opponent, but also to his teammates. They voted him honorary captain this year.

Jim Huffman—Jim was the brains of the team this year, taking over the quarterback position as a junior. We are looking forward to Jim calling the plays for the team again next year.

Bob Cox — Bob was the fellow who took care of the other side of the line at end. He was one of the most aggressive men on the ball field.

Bill Barnes—A veteran returning to the gridiron this year. Bill proved to be a keynote in the Hornets' successful season.

Herb Trimble—Herb was the left half and the fellow whom the opponents were always looking for to carry the ball. He is another who is expected to make a good showing next season.

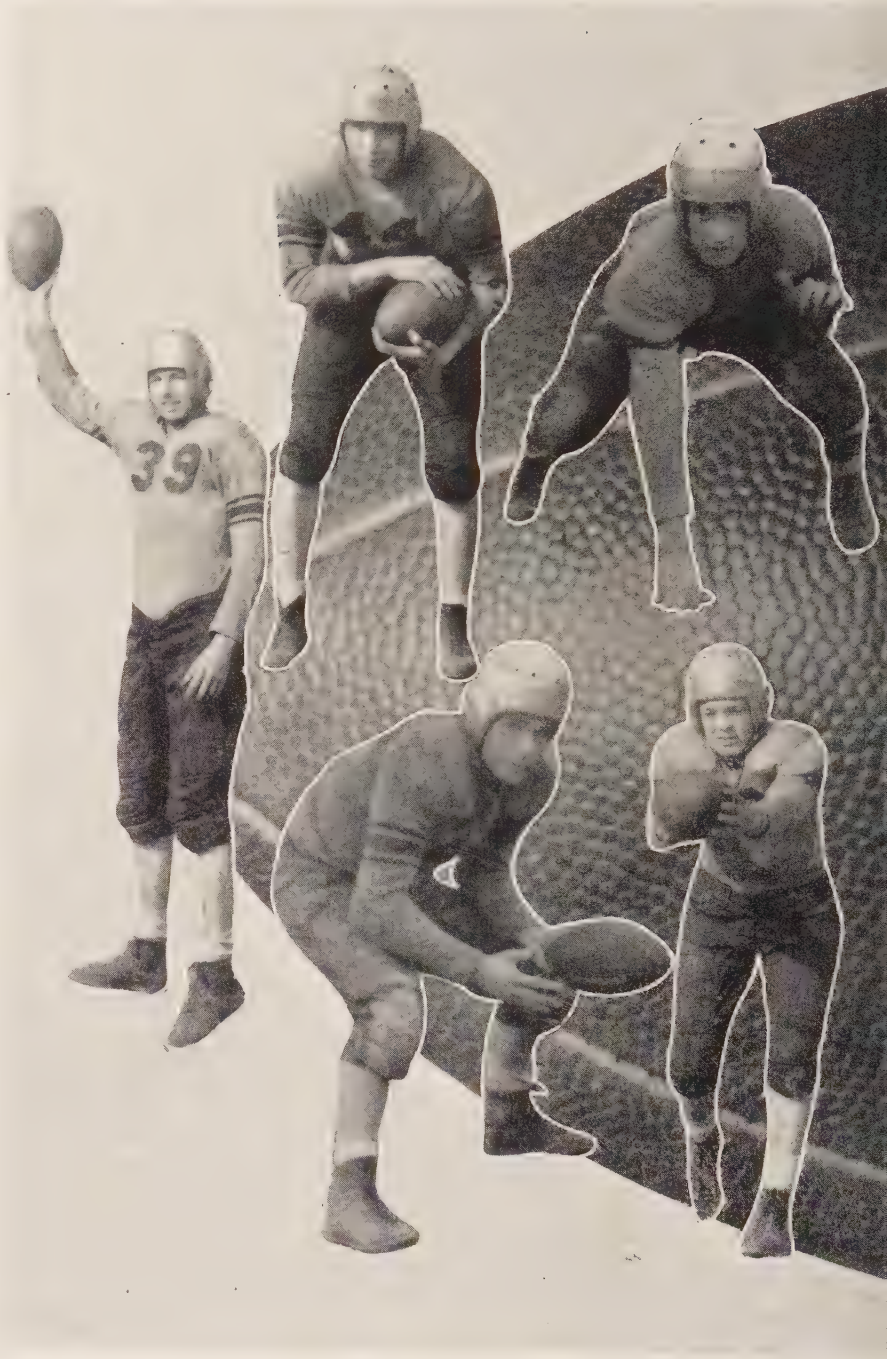
Jim Anderson—Jim always seemed to be staring the ball carrier in the face. The big guard was always on the bottom of the pile-up somehow.

Bill Berry—Bill was a reliable substitute to the team. He is expected to be a fine hard-hitting guard for next year's team.

Claude Hammons—Gus was the big left tackle who gave the opponents a taste of what was behind the weight. He is one of the fellows who was always saying, "I love that game."

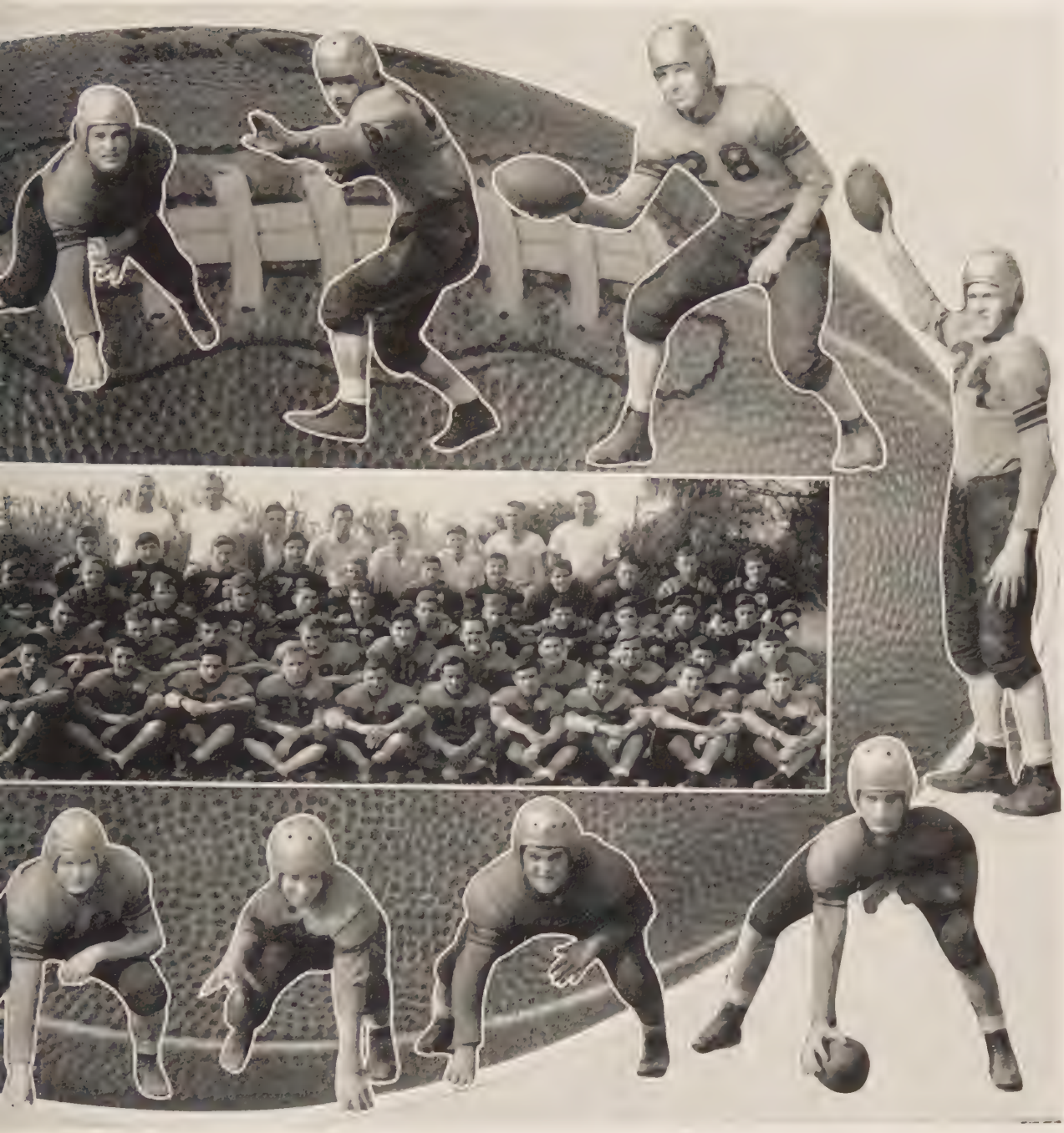
Dale Geyer—Dale was the fellow who was depended upon to get the ball back to the ball carrier. He was very successful in the last year on the gridiron.

JACK GRUENLOH JIM JOHNSON DAVE MEYER



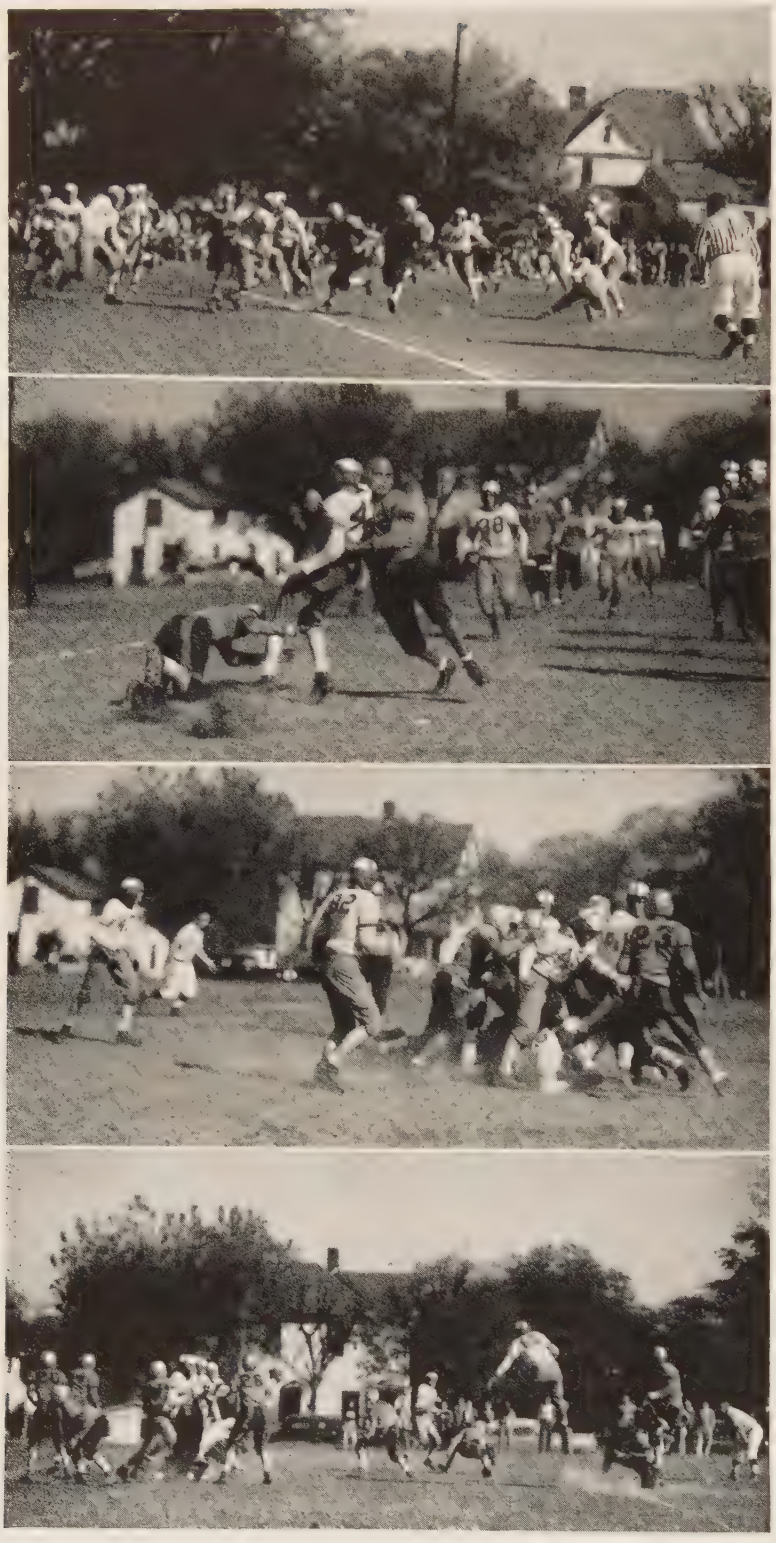
BILL BARNES HERB TRIMBLE

WILSON GLEN DUNAWAY JIM HUFFMAN BOB COX



NDERSON BILL BERRY CLAUDE HAMMONDS DALE GEYER

First row: Herb Douglas, Jack Gruenloh, Bob Walck, Jim Huffman, Lynn Meyer, Dave Meyer, Bill Berry, Jim Mason, Danny Baker, Walter Bake.
Second row: Wilbur King, Jim Johnson, Herb Trimble, Dale Geyer, Jim Anderson, Gene Wilson, Claude Hammonds, Bob Cox, Doug Jones, Glen Dunaway, Calvin Braden.
Third row: Junior Hensley, Bob Kemplin, Bob Bunnell, Gene Kash, Arlin Powell, Homer Fultz, Bill Meeks, Gerald Wooddell, Bill Whitesell, Harold Stewart, Marvin Woodward, Junior Short.
Fourth row: Roger Tolson, Ralph Guernsey, Enoch Hale, Robert Brown, Ted Kramer, Jim Meyer, Marvin Cole, Gilbert Smith, George Gerhart, Calvin White Paul Miller.
Fifth row: Mr. Moore, Mr. Woolums, Dick Henderson, Al Hounshell, Boyd Smith, Claude Snelling, Andy Greer, Mr. Scholler.



HORNETS 6—LEBANON 0

The Monroe Hornets opened their grid season successfully by defeating their opponent 6-0. After battling to a scoreless tie for three and a half quarters, the Hornets took the ball on their own forty and drove to the four yard line. Here two attempts were made to score but both failed. Then the ball was given to Doug Jones, who went over on a cut-back to win the game.

FAIRMONT 31—Monroe 6

The Fairmont Dragons defeated the Hornets in their second start, 31 to 6. The Dragons scored a touchdown in each of the first three quarters and two in the final. Monroe's lone touchdown came in the second quarter by Barnes.

Hornets 20—Franklin 0

The Hornets got back on the winning side by defeating Franklin's Wildcats 20-0. They got off to an early start by Dunaway going over in the first minutes of play. The other touchdowns were made by Trimble and a pass from Huffman to Gruenloh.

OSBORN 13—MONROE 7

Osborn-Bath defeated the Monroe pigskinners 13-7 in a very hard-fought game McEvers was the man that the Hornets couldn't hold. He passed for one of the touchdowns and ran the other himself. Barnes scored Monroe's only touchdown and Braden converted for the extra point.

HAMILTON CATHOLIC 13—HORNETS 7

The Hornets ended up again on the short end of one of those very exciting hard-fought ball games. Also it was a one-man scoring affair with Winkler making all 13 points for the Rams. Trimble was the man who made Monroe's touchdown this time. The final score was 13-7 in favor of the Rams.

MONROE 26—DUNBAR 0

The Hornets overran Dunbar High 26-0. The first half of the game was sparked by the brilliant running of Herb Trimble, who made three touchdowns. He also made one in the second half. Dunaway made the other. Most of the game was played in Dunbar territory.

BIG BLUE 33—HORNETS 13

The Big Blue of Hamilton handed Monroe their fourth defeat of the year. Nuxhall was the Hamilton man who hit pay dirt four times out of five for the Big Blue team. Trimble and Barnes scored for Monroe. The final score was 33-13 Hamilton.

MONROE 14—WILMINGTON 13

The Hornets successfully ended their grid season by defeating Wilmington 14-13. The breaks Monroe got in the first of the game and their ability to hold when it was necessary was what proved the success. Barnes scored two touchdowns for Monroe. Of course, every one will remember it was Calvin Braden who made the extra points.

BASKETBALL SQUAD

First row: Carl Hollon, Jim Huffman, Carel Cosby, Harold Tewell, Herb Trimble, Jim Johnson, Bob Cox, Walter Bake.

Second row: Mr. Moore, Bill Dyer (manager), Bob Rossi, Jack Gruenloh, Enoch Hale, Calvin Braden, Danny Baker, Bill Whitesell, Paul Miller, Jim Mason (manager), Mr. Woolums.

Third row: Al Hounshell (manager), Jim Brammer, Jim Meyers, Jack Deaton, Bob Carpenter, Marshall Hughes, Earl Griffith.

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

McGuffey	32	21	Greenville	39	45
Trenton	43	28	Franklin	24	32
Lebanon	35	31	Wilmington	46	47
Woodward	54	37	Fairfield	40	30
Springfield	29	32	Roger Bacon	49	59
Hamilton Public	25	45	Miamisburg	40	45
Lima South	24	32	Northridge	49	59
Marion Harding	46	39	Lima Central	49	53
Dunbar	38	47	Hamilton Catholic	32	38
Middletown	21	31	Northridge (Tournament)	35	42

BASKETBALL SQUAD

HERB TRIMBLE CARL COSBY BOB CON HAROLD TEWELL

JIM HUFFMAN CARL HOLLON JACK GRUENISH JIM JOHNSON

Herb Trimble, towering junior center, and later forward position man, showed as an underclassman he could stand up against the best of them; and in most cases, hold out better. Herb, a lad of 16 and 6' 1" tall, is going to be a potential threat next year, probably at the hub of the Hornet swarm.

Carel Cosby proved to be of more use than just junior class president. The big, fast, rough, and flashy brand of basketball Carel dished out enabled him to win a varsity guard position. Carel will be back for the fourth time next November, with all experience and probably another inch and 20 pounds or so.

Bob Cox, who completed the trio of senior members, kept the fire in the forward position burning fiercely all season. Bob flared out in an amazing showing at the beginning of the season, but tapered off as the games progressed. It was Bob's third try at varsity. He finally made it, to the sorrow of a lot of opponents.

Harold Tewell proved by statistics to be the most valuable left over from the '45-46 season. Ha old a senior member, scored the most points for the season for any individual, 166 points. Tewell, at guard position, seemed to be the nucleus that held the team together.

One of the fellows who seemed to share half of the sixth place position was Jim Huffman. The football skat-back seemed very much at home on the hardwood. The pygmy of the varsity made up for his size by going hog-wild on his shots from any place on the floor. Jim also will be welcomed to the ranks next year.

Carl Hollon, the other man who laid claim to the number six spot, will also be back for another attempt to polish off those 13 unbelieving opponents of last year. The six foot, 1 inch junior will have plenty of reason to get even and 2 years at Monroe plus Maple Park experience to do it with.

The tallest man on the squad, Jack Gruenloh, rounded out the extent of the varsity squad, and did it very well. Jack has completed the limit of semesters he is eligible to play. However, his basketball abilities were not curbed in any form or fashion this year, this being very evident to the opponents.

Jim Johnson, another member of the '45-'46 team, paced close at the leading scorer's heels with 159 points. Jim took the season's honor for high-point man of one game in his 21 point scoring spree at Wilmington. The 6' 2" senior proved to be a fly in a lot of people's ointment, especially during the latter part of the season.

GAMES

November 20, 1946.

The Woolummen started off the hardwood season with a bang by defeating Oxford McGuffey 32-21. Bob Cox led the scoring honors for the Hornets with 9 points.

November 29, 1946.

The Hornets buzzed to another win by trouncing Trenton 43-28. The Monroe team had begun to play basketball instead of football, as was proved by the total of the fouls.

December 6, 1946.

After a journey back from Lebanon, the Monroe squad was still undefeated. The Gold toppled the Warriors after a nip and tuck 35-31 victory. Cosby ranked with 12 points.

December 7, 1946.

Cincinnati Woodward invaded the Hornet Hive to compete against the Gold's basketball team as their fourth opponent. When they left, it was still a perfect season on the Hornet record, after the Gold had edged them out 54-37.

December 13, 1946.

When it came, it came all at once! Springfield was the first to start the ball rolling on a long line of defeats. The Monroe Club, after expending all of their abilities, fell short by 3 points behind Springfield's 32.

December 14, 1946.

This was the night destined for the Woolummen to take their beating of the season. The mighty Big Blue of Hamilton, paced by a 20 point barrage of Greisinger, rolled over the incompetent Hornets with a 45-25 victory.

December 20, 1946.

The bad weather trip to Northland proved to be nothing more than another loss on the Hornet ledger. The Lima South team, the third team of the Greater Ohio League to outdo the Hornets, succeeded in the task of keeping the Hornets from winning a game in the League by defeating them 32-24.

December 21, 1946.

It was Harold Tewell all the way when the Hornets met Harding on the opponent's court. Tewell ripped the net for 19 points to pace his teammates to down a favored Harding team by 46-39.

January 2, 1947.

Perhaps it was overconfidence, or possibly underestimation; at any rate, the Hornets, if they could have, were lacking by 9 points in their previous verbal victory over Dunbar. Mr. Farr and Company accomplished the upset by a score of 47-38.

January 10, 1947.

"Beat Middletown" was the cry; and "Beaten Monroe!" was the result. After a hard-fought game by the Woolummen and a sigh of relief from the pressure created by the game, it was all over and the Hornets fell short of a victory by10 points with only 31 points.

January 17, 1947.

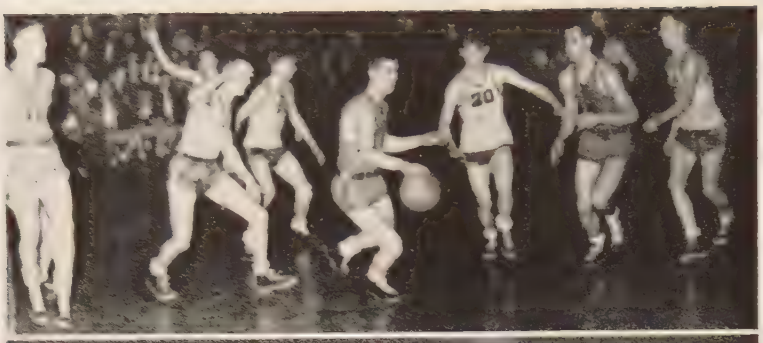
The score of this game could easily be said to be Bob Wright 45, Monroe 39. The mighty man from Greenville scored 24 of the winner's 45 markers. This proved to be one extra-scheduled game that didn't do anyone any good but Greenville.

January 24, 1947.

The odds were even when Franklin and Monroe took the floor, but after one quarter they went the other way. The mighty 'Cats from nearby clawed the Hornets considerably by a 32-25 drubbing.

Jaunary 30, 1947.

The Monroe club, in an effort to tame the Wilmington Hurricanes down to a breeze, succeeded in only infuriating the storm and going home with another loss to their credit. The Easterners edged out the Woolummen by only 1 point with 47 markers.



came only 49 points for the Hornets topped by 59 points for Northridge.

February 7, 1947.

Roger Bacon proved to be just one of those things that later turned out to be another Monroe loss, which now totaled 9. The local score board gleamed with 59 points for Bacon, which seemed to dim out the 49 made by Monroe.

February 8, 1947.

After trailing 18-15 at the half, the Miamisburg quintet came back to score the tenth defeat over the Hornets in the '46-'47 season. The Monroe team fell short of a victory by 5 points beneath Miamisburg's 45.

February 11, 1947.

This date proved to be a break for the Hornets' long losing streak. The less-powerful Indian tribe was overrun by the fury of the Hornets. Fairfield was destined to bow out to the favored Gold club by a 40-30 score.

February 12, 1947.

The Polar Bears of Northridge High School succeeded in racking up another loss for the Hornets with big Walthirsch wielding the death blow. Out of the mess

February 15, 1947.

In the final Greater Ohio League game of the year, Lima Central made a perfect season of losses for the Hornets in the League. The Central team seemed right at home on the Middletown gym by racking up 53 points, while the Hornets tapered off at 49.

February 21, 1947.

The Ram still prevailed superior to the Hornet on the hardwood after the final season cage tussle. The White and Green, after an early lead, stayed in the front until the gun cut the contest short, wih the Hornets trailing by 6 points with 32 markers.

February 27, 1947.

Northridge succeeded in making the total losses a nice even number. The Polar Bears edged out the Hornets in the initial tournament game for the locals by a score of 42-35. This netted the locals a total of 6 wins and 14 losses for the season.

BASEBALL

First row: Carl Hollon, Jack Gruenloh, Charles Hon, Tom Rogers, Paul Miller, Harold Tewell, Claude Hammonds, Bob Walck, Jim Johnson, Carel Cosby, Harold Irving.

Second row: Bill Rothfuss, Dick Henderson, Managers; Dick Hively, Ralph Kinser, Frank Cass, Calvin Braden Gene Wilson, Bill Whitesell, Roger Tolson, Mr. Scholler, coach.

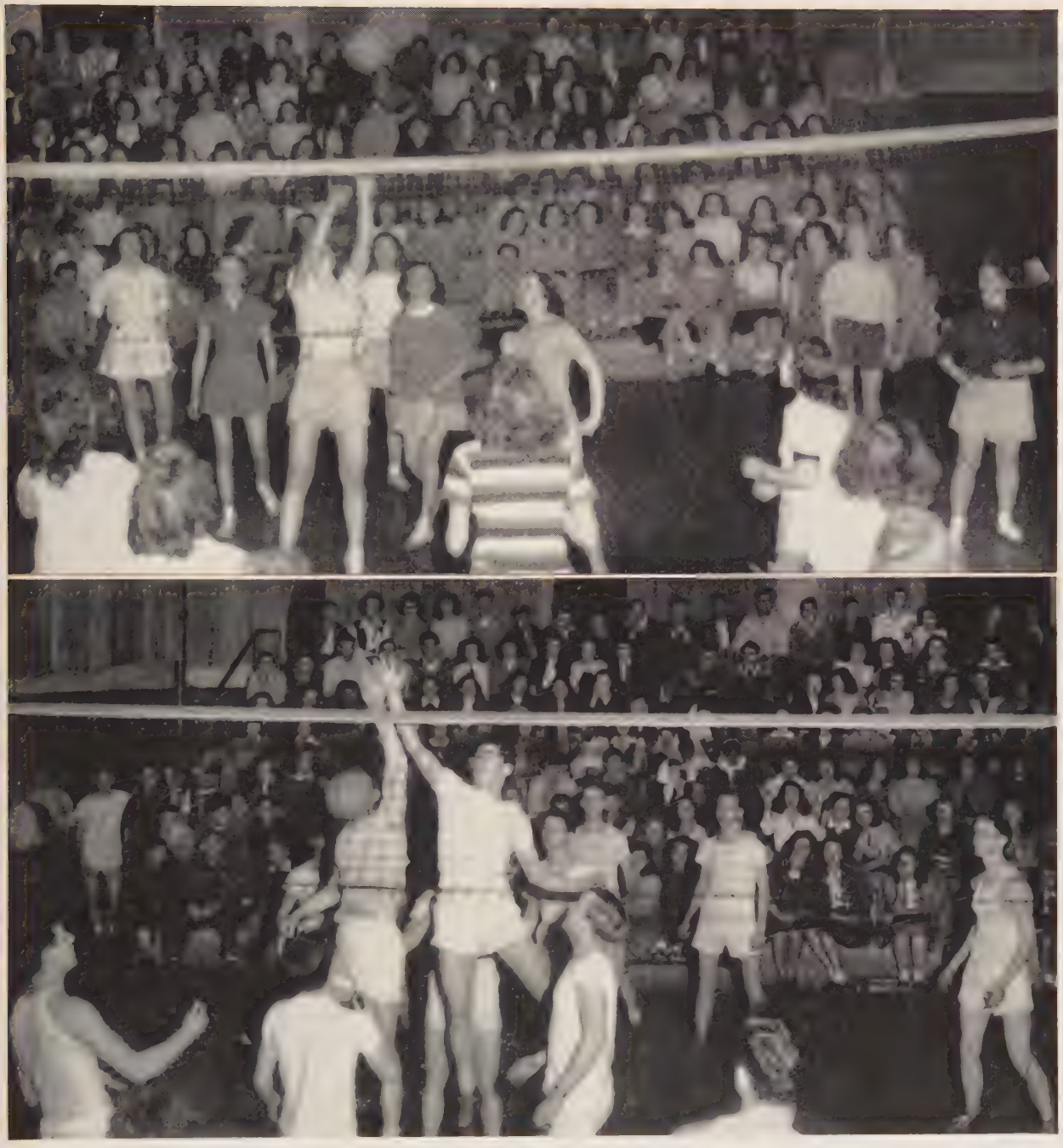
April 1	Hamilton Catholic
April 3	Trenton
April 7	Frankiln
April 10	Hamilton
April 15	Hamilton Catholic
April 17	Lebanon
April 22	Middletown
April 24	Hamilton
April 29	Middletown
May 1	Franklin
May 5	Springfield
	Tournament

TRACK

First row: Wilbur King, Gene Kash, Enoch Hale, Harold Stewart, Ray Terry Stanley West, Junior Huffman, Bob Bunnell.
Second row: Mr. Woolums, Coach; Danny Baker, Glenn Blackmore, Jim Myers, Pete Alexander, Lawrence Herring, Jim Brammer.
Third row: Eugene Hensley, Bill Berry, Gordon Doty, Jack Metzcar, Eugene Fultz, Earl Griffith, Manager.

April 18	Oxford Stewart
April 25	Franklin
May 9	Oxford McGuffey
May 16	McKinley, Freshmen-Sophomore
May 24	Springfield
May 10	Miami Relays
May 3	Little Six
May 16	District Meet

INTRAMURALS



SOFTBALL CHAMPS

Kneeling: Don Wagner, Herb Lucas, Chester Williams, Lawrence McMonigle, Bob Marts.

Standing: John Magee, Ewing Faulbee, Tom Jones, Sam Warmoth, Everett Miller, Bob Roosa.

The boys of 307P came through to win the championship in the first home room tournament in the athletic field. With Room 304 as their opponent, these boys had to put forth some good pitching and hard hitting to win the title.

Kneeling: Jo Ann Koontz, Pansy Jones, Florine Huffman.

Stading: Marilyn Geary, Phyllis Hale, Audrey Fryman, Ruby Jenkins, Dorothy Hipp.

The junior home room, who had been taking the trophy every month, proved that it could do something besides have perfect attendance. The girls of 304 won the softball championship by defeating Room 307 B.

VOLLEYBALL CHAMPS

Kneeling: Doug Jones, Ewing Taulbee, Chester Williams, John Magie, Lawrence McMonigle.

Standing: Charles Propps, Tom Jones, Everett Miller, Gene Wilson, Don Wagner.

Only one of the senior home rooms was able to get into the finals in the boys' division of the volleyball tournament. Not to be outdone by any other room, the famous 304 spuad fought its way into the opposing position for the finals. However, 307P was too strong for them, and carried off the title.

Competition is always keen between the two senior home rooms, 307B and 307P, and the final game in the volleyball tournament proved to be o exception. It was one of the most exciting games in the entire tournament, and the 307P girls walked proudly off the floor when they earned their title of "Champs" in a hard-fought game.

Kneeling: Virginia Niederauer, Carol McClung, Jean Whitaker, Jewel Pelfrey.

Standing: Agnes King, Mildred Martin, Betty Imhoff, Betty Kohr, Doris Kennel, Pat Thompson.

JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL

First row: Homer Fultz, J. B. Dyer, Henry Propps, Paul Johnson, Freddie Carroll, Don Mokry.

Second row: Billy Anthony, Hayden Turner, Lowell Strayer, Jerry Hammond, Richard Wilson.

This year, for the first time, the junior high, grades 7, 8 and 9, had a separate division from the senior high in the basketball intramurals. The eighth grade boys won the championship in this division by defeaturing the ninth grade Room 103.

First row: Betty Rouse, Patty Stewart, Virginia Rothfuss.

Second row: Norma Tewart, Marian Rumke LoVonne Sorrell, Joyce Wooddell.

In the girls' division of the junior high tournament, Room 103 staged a comeback after a defeat in the boys' division, to defeat Room 102 and become the champions. These girls are very proud of their new title, and hope to do as well next year in the senior high tournament

PROPHECY and CALENDAR

As Jim Anderson, Superintendent of the Lemon Township Schools, reads his daily mail opened for him by his private secretary, Laverne West, he discovers it is addressed from Jeanne Graft and Nona Collins who are working for the Moss & Rothfuss Moth Control Company. It reads:

Dear Sonny:

So glad you have such an easy job and we are glad you are working for dear old Alma Mater. Just a few years have passed and we know you will be glad to hear about your friends from '47. Did you hear about Doris Carter starring in the new play on Broadway, Bloomer Gal, with that newest swing band directed by Gene Fisher. We were reading the other day about Gus Hammonds, you remember him. He is now campaigning around the country for his new party, Gusism or What??? A lot of the alumni are abroad; Marie Dishon is in Paris designing and buying clothes for her new shop, Dishon Dressy Duds. Mildred Martin, a great pianist, is in Venice while Gordon Doty is singing Carmen at the Opera.

Albert Hounshell and his dear wife, Doris Blackmore, have contributed something to science. They are putting together the atom that was split; and Sonny, Glenn Blackmore has a patent on his newest shoe polish "Forever Blackmore." It's been a hard struggle for Patsy Leber and Leber Mines but they have finally won a 2 cent pay increase.

Dear old Jim Johnson has been elected Judge of Common Defense and Humane Society. He granted a divorce to Vivian Collier from John Magie asserting John kept the chickens in the house and it was annoying. Mary Rusche is away on a trip to New York. She goes there every winter while her husband, Jim Miller, stays at home to wind up last minute business contracts. They own a watch factory.

The other day we were paying our phone bill and who should we run into but Mabel Center. Margaret Bushey and Phyllis Adams frantically connecting impatient callers at the switchboard. It was recently reported that Esther Taylor, who has opened her own beauty shop got her finger caught in one of the hair curlers. They tell us she'll be that way for life, for even the famous surgeon, To mJones, couldn't get it off.

The other day I heard that Carol McClung, now well known as a pharmacist, has discovered a new drug. She doesn't know what it is, but anyway she discovered it.

Oh yes, Sonny, have you heard about Bob Cox's basketball team, Cox's Army. Their winning streak has simply stunned the nation and why not, with Bob their coach. Margie Gingerich recently won fame in the field of art for "The Unfinished Portrait of Sam Warmoth". (She didn't finish it because Sam slipped out while she wasn't looking.)

While walking down the street recently I ran into Norma Hanser selling pencils on the corner. She informed us that this was her only means of supporting her husband,Charles Hon. By the way, Sonny, did you hear about the tragic accident of David Clark. His little brother locked him in the garage and he is suffering from malnutrition. Darlene Wiliams is nursing him back to health with Cream of Wheat.

Corbit Harrison and Donna Dazey are working together in the newest film "Tom Thumb Takes A Bride." Dick Cornele is still plugging songs in Grant's trying to win fame as a second Frank Sinatra. Hodge Drake, the president of Drake's Flakes Soap Insti-

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SEPTEMBER

3 Put away our summer togs to come back to the grind
6 Mercury—get your Mercury now!
10-11 Stiff competition for TTT
18 Juniors decide which ring they would rather wear
19 Faculty gets out for a picnic at Armco Park
20 Vote for your favorite candidate.
25 See you all at the Fair

OCTOBER

9 Special treat by Wade Quartet
11 Smiling faces of new N.H.S. members
21 Cheers! Speeches! Bond Fire! Dancing! Refreshments! Need we say more?
25 Students get a vacation; teachers attend meeting
29 Monroe talents aired over Station WMOH

NOVEMBER

1 "Seventeen" discovered to be an age with many problems
6 N. H. S. members almost unable to survive initiation
14 Look at the birdie and smile
15 Laughs and more laughs at the Lions' Minstrel
15 Get your guns for hunting season
19 Parents learn the trials and tribulations of being a Monroe student
22 Trotted to the Turkey Trot
26 Football boys honored by banquet
27 Thanksgiving vacation

DECEMBER

4 How well can you read? The Every Pupil Test will tell
10 Improve your French by attending Miss Weed's assembly.
17 A lovely night for the mixed chorus to go caroling
19 The traditional Christmas program gives us a feeling of peace and good will

JANUARY

2 Nothing but ICE
10 Room 304 tries to blow up school in assembly
11 Do you read your current events?
12 More worries—semester exams
20 Talents try out for all-school contest
31 Where did 307P get those jokes? Ask Mr. Woolums

FEBRUARY

10 More N.H.S. members
13 Tinker Toy performs in "Mr. Dooley, Jr."
27 Enter tournament; leave tournament

MARCH

4 Doris Carter rescues Mr. Ludewig with a needle and thread
6 Senior English Class improves their Shakespearean knowledge by seeing "Hamlet"
11 Broken toes and absenteeism after that N.H.S. initiation
12 Baseball season is here again
14 Monroe musical talents win high ratings at Oxford
15 Star Dust Stomp a big success
28 Concert displays a talent of band

APRIL

3 A good send off for Easter vacation by traveling program assembly
7 Sid Cornell speaks at Basketball banquet
8 Franklin exchange assembly entertains us
10 Student's work displayed for parents

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HOME ECONOMICS CLASS

FRENCH CLASS

INDUSTRIAL ARTS CLASS

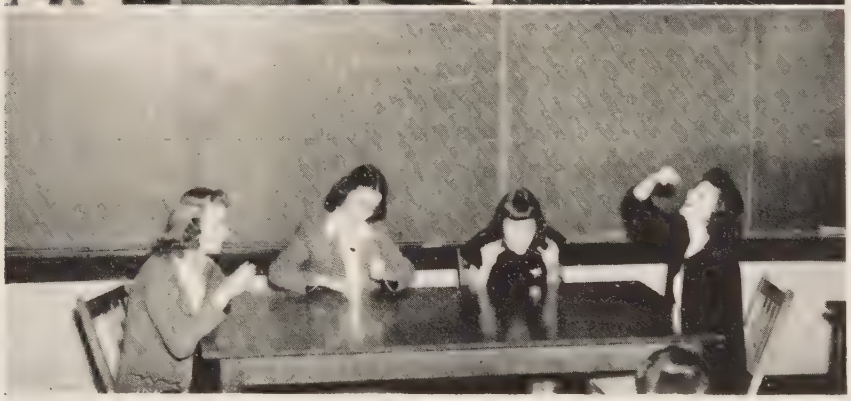
MECHANICAL DRAWING CLASS

SECRETARIAL PRACTICE CLASS

GEOMETRY CLASS

ART CLASS

CHEMISTRY CLASS



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Third row: Mr. Kimble, Junior Huffman, Jim Kontnier, Florine Huffman, Mary Hummel, Dorothy Hipp, Dick- Fuggett, Jim Huffman, Harold Irving.

Fourth row: Waldon Jones, Dick Freeman, Jack Graft, Wilbur King, Gene Kash, Ralph Guernsey, Dick Hively.

Monroe has done some outstanding work in the field of music and scholarship, but for the first time in her history there has been a home room with perfect attendance throughout most of the year. The members of the junior home room 304, under the supervision of Mr. Kimble, earned this honor.

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The members also received letters and certificates from Mr. Williams, County Superintendent, complimenting them for their fine work.

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WILL and HISTORY

I, Phyllis Adams will my A's in Problems to any moron who will accept them.

I, Jim Anderson, will my seat in Home Room to Bob Rossi.

I, Helen Anthony, will my ability to get through Bookkeeping to Nancy McCoy. Don't let it get you down, Nancy.

I, Dick Ashton, will my quietness to Tommy Evans.

I, George Baird, will my ability to count sales tax stamps to anyone who is unlucky enough to get the job.

I, Bill Barnes, will my football helmet to my brother Harold Barnes.

I, Dale Barnhart, will my ability in art to Marshall Hughes.

I, Raymond Berry, will my senior mathematics workbook to anybody that wants to get good grades.

I, Doris Blackmore, will my troubles in second year Algebra to Lorna Blackmore.

I, Glenn Blackmore, will my trumpet playing to Bob Lewis.

I, Margaret Bushey, will my inability to get up in front of the class to Dorothy Hipp.

I, Wanda Carroll, will my chemistry equipment to anyone who likes nauseating messes.

We, Doris Carter and Pasty Leber, do hereby will our ability to double date on weekends to Joan Adams and Patty Duff. You'll love it kids.

I, Mabel Center, will my position as president of the library club to my sister Imogene. Do a good job.

I, David Clark, will my Ford to Dale Wilson so he can go up hill fast.

We, Vivian Collier and Irene Dennis, will our locker No. 260 to Donna Townshend and Martha Wtit. Take good dare of it.

I, Bob Cox, will my seat in home room to Patsy Smallwood.

We, Donna Dazey and Alice Hinds, will our ability of always getting out of trouble to Carl Hollon and Herb Trimble.

I, Robert DeFrates, will my intelligence in Senior Mathematics to "Burr."

I, Ruth Derrough, will my abiltiy to suffer through shorthand to Patty Duff.

I, Marie Dishon, will my ability to get chewing gum to Jack Graft, who is forever out.

I, Gordon Doty, will my speed and singing ability to "Sonny Boy" Braden.

I, Hobart Downing, will my seat in problems class to Bobby Rossi.

We, Hodge Drake and Dick Cornele, will our ability to get along with Miss Morgan to Betty Nunamaker and Patty Nixon.

I, Glenn Dunaway, will my seat in Guidance class to anyone that has the nerve to take it.

I, Anna Fields, will my quietness to Rhea Robinson.

I, Eugene Fisher, will my trumpet and hair brush and straight hair to Dale Wilson.

I, Jerry Fry, will my good looks, personality, and ability at pea pool to Jack Buffenbarger.

I, Dale Geyer, will my fine build, good looks, and what have ya! to anyone who wants it.

I, Marjorie Gingerich, will my artistic ability to Harold Barnes.

I, Phyllis Gingerich, will my locker to Marilyn Geary.

I, Jeanne Graft, will my ability to get moved in study hall to Jack Graft.

I, Bob Graft, will my ability in engineering draw-

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In any school annual there is to be found a long list of the outstanding achievements that the graduating class has done as seniors. In this annual, however, we will glance over the records and find what today's seniors did yesterday.

As freshmen, the following people served as leaders of the class: Kenneth Rogers, Alice Hinds, Doug Jons, Mary Ellen Griffith, and Carolyn Yount. We spent this year in getting used to the new atmosphere her at Monroe.

The next year we took the highlights with the seniors in participation of athletics, dramatics, scholarship, music, and various other activities. Tom Jones was elected president, with Patsy Leber, Doris Carter, Bill Irving, and Doug Jones under his supervision. Donna Dazey, Jerry Williams, Agnes King, Aleen Hunter, and Jo Anne Armbruster served on the student government for the sophomore class.

We were considered upper classmen as we entered our junior year, which proved to be our busiest in all-round activities. We were proud of our members Carol McClung, Al Hounshell, Hodge Drake, Doris Rothwell, and Lois Irons who represented our class in N. H. S. We presented the annual junior play which was "Anne of Green Gables," starring freckled-faced pig tails and all—our own Donna, as "Anne."

Our junior boys seemed to hold up the athletic field in all sports. Outstanding on the footballsquad were: Gus Hammonds, Doug Jones, Tom Jones, Bob Cox, Clayton Combs, Eugene Wilson, Jim Anderson, Earl Moreland, Kenny Rogers, Alfred Mason, and Charles Hon. Serving as faithful managers were Al Hounshell and Bill Rothfuss.

Another sport which was very outstanding was basketball. Our junior boys, Harold Tewell, Bob Cox, Jim Johnson, Lawrence McMonigle and Tom Jones, were out to sink the baskets, which made our games successful.

Our junior work was climaxed by the Junior-Senior Prom, in which every junior participated in some way.

The auditorium transformed into an atmosphere of the sea with its life savers named for the class officers: its light house, and a deck for Les Shepbard's orchestra, proved an appropriate setting for the successful prom.

Junior officers were Doug Jones, Doris Carter, Corbit Harrison, Gus Hammonds, who represented our class very highly.

Last but not least came the long-awaited year with 106 seniors. Gus Hammonds was elected president with his cabinet consisting of Andy Greer, Bill Barnes, Doris Carter, and Ewing Taulbee.

Members of the N. H. S. elected this year were Patsy Leber, Gus Hammonds, Pat Rooselot, Tom Jones, George Baird, Dave Clark, Agnes King, Wanda Carroll, and Donna Dazey.

In our senior class we had many musical students. Receiving honors at Oxford on solos were Hodge Drake, Pete Black, Jerry Fry, Doug Jones, and Jean Whitaker.

We find that not only boys have an interest in athletics in our class but also girls. The majority of the cheerleading squad was made up of members from the class of '47. They were Doris Carter, Patsy Leber, Agnes King, Gerry Williams, and Donna Dazey. All eight did a swell job.

We find a number of our TTT members from the senior class—Dottie Ramseyer, Mary Ellen Griffith, Jean Whitaker, and Pat Rooselot.

Very outstanding, were our fellows in athletics

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this year. Football—Bob Cox, Glen Dunaway, Gene Wilson, Jim Johnson, Bill Barnes, Jim Anderson, Claude Hammonds, Dale Geyer. Basketball—Bob Cox, Harold Tewell, Jim Johnson, yes we had a fine athletic group in our class.

Not only were we talented in music and athletics but also in dramatics. Some of the seniors participated in the dramatics class presentation of "Mr. Dooley, Jr.,,

We have had many wonderful experiences in our class. Tears, laughter, difficult problems, but we wouldn't have missed it for anything. The best of luck to every 1947 graduate in the future years to come.

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Ruth Derrough and Helen Anthony are working as private secretaries to Harold Tewell and Gene Wilson in Wilson & Tewell Exterminators. Their employers have finally decided that they deserve a small salary. Doris Carter and Gerry Williams have reached the height of their secretarial career and are now taking shorthand at 500 words a minute in George Baird's court, Law for Outlaws. (I just said they took it at 500 not that they could read it).

A few of our old classmates decided that the farm was for them and we find Larry McMonigle and his darling wife, Jean Whitaker. They run their farm very efficiently with the help of their hired farmerettes among whom are Mary Hummel, Doris Kennel and Pat Rosselot. And who should we find visiting them at the farm but Agnes King. There she sat in the shade of the old apple tree calmly knitting a saddle blanket.

Doug Jones and Dot Ramseyer are rising to fame in the musical field and are to sing for the Butcher's Union of which our old classmates, Ray Berry and Don Wagner are prominent members. Peggy Helsinger and Ruby Lanraw have been around the world twice (and are still going strong) selling their Essence of Ecstacy perfume. They have had a very difficult time, they tell me convincing the natives of Africa that it is not a beverage.

Alice Hinds and Virginia Niederauer now have a specialty act in The House of Blue Lights on Broadway. They are booked as the "Two Little Girls In

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Blue." Wanda Carroll in her new position as policewoman has a trying time with Ewing Taulbee, Pete Black and Tex Carter who insist on disturbing the peace with their version of "The Salty Dog." Chester Williams, the world's greatest lover is playing the lead role in "Love Finds A Way" co-starred with Phyllis Gingerich, the original man-hater. Ray Lansaw and Bob Roosa, the inventors of yesterday, have just received a patent on their newest contraption that they call the "Speed Demon of Tomorrow."

Mason, Geyer, Propps, and Woodell are employed at the "Tow 'em In and Push 'em Out" garage under the management of Don Rusche. We had our car overhauled last week and now we can't even hear the motor. (No wonder, they took it out.) Bob Marts, the new head of the patent office, has been having a time with the many inventors from old Monroe. Some of our masterminds inventions are Cope & Cornwell Crispy Cornflakes; Betty Kohr has perfected a new apple. She calls it "Kohr's Coreless Apple."

While skimming through Ashton's Ash Hot News we found one of our schoolmate's names on the society page. Wilma Horne is now engaged to the president of the Horn Manufacturing Company. Her future name will be Mrs. Hubert Toot. We find another of our old school chums selling real estate. It's Dale Barnhart and his slogan is "Have A Heart and Buy A Barn."

When invited to a tea given the "Knit One, Pearl Two, Drop Three' Sewing Circle recently, we found quite a few of our old Monroe students who

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have married and settled down. Among them were Nadine Taulbee, Jewell Pelfrey, Irne Dennis and Pat Thompson. They are enjoying their family life very much.

We decided that we had seen enough of the life of Old Monroe students for a while so we intend to spend a quiet night at home listening to the radio. We tuned our radio in to station N-U-T-S and what should our ears hear but the familiar voice of Hobart Downing ringing through the airways. He stated that the station's best paid program is Herbert Lucas's All Girl Orchestra with Anna Fields and her tuba, Doris Sparks beating out 1-2 on the bass drum, Lois Lawson and her flute, Betty Imhoff with her banjo on her knee, and surprise Sonny, we find that one and only John Guernsey as assistant director. Another added attraction on the same program concerns the Baldy-Barbershop Quartet composed of Heinkle, Graft, Jestice and Kinser.

One of the most surprising to us was Moody Davis and his Flea Circus. He really has quite a collection. He is featuring a boxing match this week and expects quite a crowd. By the way I forgot to mention that Jerry Fry, Mary Ellen Griffith and Martha Green are scheduled to sing on the Fibber McGee and Molly show in the near future and their success will depend on the outcome of the program. I think that is all the news for a while so I will close and here's hoping that you and all the other students from '47 succeed.

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ing to Drushel Johnson.

I, Martha Green, will all my joys and sorrows I have had at dear old Monroe to Audrey Fryman.

I, John Guernsey, will my brains to anyone that needs them.

I, Claude Hammonds, will my ability to be captain of the football team to anyone who wants to be next year.

I, Norma Jean Hanser, will my seat in home room to June Yarber.

I, Corbit Harrison, will my "good times" in physics and chemistry to Donald Fuget.

I, Conrad Heinkel, will my ability to day dream when asked to recite in journalism class to Don Potrafke.

I, Charles Hon, will my will to anybody who will have it.

We, Wilma Horne and Nona Collins, will our seats in senior Mathematics to any junior who has to take it. Hope you have as much fun as we did.

I, Albert Hounshell, will my science and mathematics ability to Wallace Fultz.

I, Betty Imhoff, will my long fingernails to Darlene Ballinger.

We, Jim Johnson and Agnes King, will to any juniors our seats in home room. We sat across from one another and never once got sick.

I, Doug Jones, will my clean gym trunks to Bill Berry who seems to never have them.

I, Tom Jones, will my name as tape and bandage to whoever wants to wear it as much as I have.

I, Doris Kennel, will my seat in biology to whoever wants it.

I, Ralph Kinser, will my ability to be good in band to Don Fuget.

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I, Betty Kohr, will my ability to push while playing basketball to Esther Walters.

We, Ray Lansaw and Bob Roosa, will our hearts to Barbara Pasley.

I, Ruby Lansaw, will my ability to giggle to Joyce Soule.

I, Lois Lawson, will my seat in home room to Louise Lawson.

I, Herbert Lucas, will my ability to struggle through chemistry and physics to Harry Vest.

I, John Magie, will my saxaphone playing to Anne Streithau.

I, Mildred Martin, will the subject shorthand to anyone who likes to study.

I, Robert Marts, will not will anything to anybody.

I, Alfred Mason, will my four years of pleasure and happiness to the oncoming freshman class.

I, Everett Miller, will the dish washing job in the cafeteria to any sucker that wants it.

I, Terry Moss, will my abiliy to play bass drum to any poor fool that wants it.

I, Virginia Niederauer, will my ability to get out of class to Herb Trimble.

I, Ernest Patton, will my ability to get out of school early to any fool that wants it.

I, Jewell Pelfrey, will my determination of graduation to my sister Jean.

I, Charlie Propps, will my sports ability to the oncoming football team.

I, Dorothy Ramseyer, will my polite personality to June Roller.

I, Patricia Rooselot, will my "Dead-Eye" nick-

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name to Lila Lynch for reasons created by Al Hounshel.

I, William Rothfuss, will my drum playing to Mildred Card.

I, Dorsy Rothwell, will my violin to Eddie Walker.

I, Donald Rusche, will my share of ventilator to Dave Meyer.

I, Mary Rusche, will all my vacations to anyone that needs them.

I, Nadine Taulbee, will my chair in assemblies to anyone that will take care of it afterwards.

I, Esther Taylor, will my seat in 1st period study hall to anyone who needs it, providing they study.

I, Harold Tewell, will my basketball shoes to anyone that needs it.

I, Patricia Thompson, will my locker to anyone who can open it.

I, Donald Wagner, will my ability for good conduct in Miss Stoddom's class to Harold Irving.

I, Sam Waxmouth, will my knowledge in Biology to Mr. Woolums.

I, La Verne West, will all my junior friends to George Freeman.

I, Jean Whitaker, will my seat in home room to Marsha Witt and in music to June Reller.

I, Chester Williams, will my pretty curley hair to Jeanne Koontz.

I, Jerry Williams, will my ability to get out of class to Jack Gruenloh.

I, Gene Wilson, will my ability to get by in Speech class to Bill Berry.

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